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**For the year ending
December 31, 1978**

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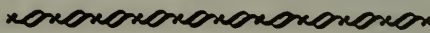
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Town Officers

PITTSFIELD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

**For the Year Ending
December 31, 1978**



CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Randy Genest was chosen by the committee for the Annual Citizen of the Year Dance. This choice is made from the letters received by the committee. Randy devotes considerable time and interest to the betterment of youth. He is very active in Pittsfield's Youth Baseball Program. He is also a member of the Pittsfield Recreation Commission which directs the Dr. F. B. Argue Memorial Pool.

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TOWN OFFICERS 1978

Moderator

LEO W. FRASER, JR.

Town Clerk

JAMES S. HILLSGROVE

Supervisors of checklist

FRANCES A. MARSTON

ROBERTA MAXFIELD

ARNOLD WELLS

Selectmen

FLOYD J. CARSON

STEVEN A. DAVIS

LESTER S. EMERSON

Town Treasurer

ELSIE S. WEEKS

Tax Collector

HENRY F. GRAY

Overseer of Public Welfare

DONALD F. GOLDEN

Trustees of Trust Funds

OGDEN H. BOYD, SR.

GEORGE E. HOLLOWAY

JOHN H. PERKINS

Auditors

WAYNE W. EMERSON

ROBERT K. GATES

LOUIS J. HOULE, JR.

Town Council

FREDERIC T. GREENHALGE, ATTY.

Representative to Gen. Court

KENARD F. AYLES

Trustees of Carpenter Library

SYBIL G. PEASE

AGNES I. RING

RALPH VAN HORN

Board of Fire Wards

STEVEN A. DAVIS

O. HERBERT EMERSON

FREDERICK T. HAST

Forest Fire Warden

FREDERICK T. HAST

Municipal Court

PAUL GIDDIS, JUSTICE

BRADLEY F. KIDDER, ASSOC.

KENARD F. AYLES, CLERK

Road Agent

GORDON W. FOSS

Police Officers

Chief

JAMES F. BLAKE

Deputy Chief

DAVID B. GREENWOOD, SR.

Captain

NOLAN AVERY

Lieutenant

WALTER JACKSON

Patrolman

PHILIP BROOKS

Special Officer

RALPH KING

Matron

SHIRLEY BROOKS

Special Officer

ROBERT CHENETTE

Safety Patrol Officer

GEORGE COTE

Tree Warden
GARY C. BEDELL

Budget Committee

FLOYD J. CARSON	Term Expires 1979
PATRICIA FRASER	Term Expires 1979
MARJORIE M. FEENY	Term Expires 1979
VERNON J. LEDUC, SR.	Term Expires 1979
SAMUEL A. MARSTON	Term Expires 1979
JOHN F. TEAGUE	Term Expires 1979
NANCY BARTO	Term Expires 1980
FLORENCE FREESE	Term Expires 1980
FREDERICK HAST	Term Expires 1980
ROBERTA MAXFIELD	Term Expires 1980
RICHARD H. ANTHONY	Term Expires 1981
ROYCE E. ELKINS	Term Expires 1981
EDWIN G. HALL	Term Expires 1981
JUDITH PIATT	Term Expires 1981

Planning Board

STEVEN A. DAVIS	Term Expires 1979
GORDON R. WELDON	Term Expires 1979
ELLIOTT L. TOWLE	Term Expires 1980
WILLIS E. PETHIC	Term Expires 1981
JOHN W. BARTO	Term Expires 1982
HENRY F. STAPLETON	Term Expires 1982
LOUIS J. HOULE, JR.	Term Expires 1983

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE OVERSEER

For the year ending December 31, 1978

Cash on Hand January 1, 1978	91.10
Received from Town of Pittsfield	8,456.08
	\$8,547.18
Expenditures	
Expenses — Supplies	\$22.63
Town Poor Account	8,456.08
Total Expenditures	\$8,478.71
Cash on Hand December 31, 1978	\$68.47

Respectfully submitted,
Donald F. Golden
Overseer of Public Welfare

TOWN WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Pittsfield, in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the TOWN HALL in said PITTSFIELD on Tuesday, the Thirteenth day of MARCH 1979 at Ten of the Clock in the forenoon and at GREENLEAF AUDITORIUM at EIGHT of the Clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing. (Polls shall be open at 10:00 A.M. and not to close before 6:00 P.M.)

2. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to add a full time Administrative Assistant to their staff.

3. If action on the above Article No. 2 is affirmative, to see if the Town will appropriate a sum, not to exceed \$20,000.00 to hire an Administrative Assistant. Such a sum to cover salaries and necessary expenses of the new officer, with a full time secretary. (The sum of \$10,000.00 to be raised in the year of 1979)

4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for the use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for the following specific purposes and in amounts indicated herewith or take any other action hereon:

APPROPRIATION	AMOUNT
Town Hall Improvement	\$13,500.00
Sander for Highway Dept.	4,500.00
Audit of Town Books	4,000.00
Police Cruiser	6,065.00

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,800.00 to increase the sum necessary as Pittsfield's share for rebuilding of the bridge on Websters Mills Road to a total of \$52,800.00; and to authorize the Selectmen to do all things necessary to obtain grants-in-aid from the State of New Hampshire and/or the United States Government in connection with rebuilding said bridge.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Seventy Three Dollars (\$5,073.00) for the support of the salaries of the Barnstead Ambulance Service.

7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, rent or lease any or all property acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds, or any other source, and to administer said property as they deem in the best interests of the Town.

8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for and accept aid relative to disasters should they occur in the future.

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of 1979 taxes, the same to be repaid with that year's levy.

10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to accept payments in prepayment of taxes according to RSA 80:52-a.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sums of money recommended by the Budget Committee to defray Town expenses for the year ensuing or pass any motion related thereto.

12. We, the undersigned registered voters of the Town of Pittsfield, respectfully petition the Annual Meeting of the Town of Pittsfield 1979 to authorize the construction of an addition to the present Fire House, located on Catamount Street, Pittsfield, N.H., to be funded solely from existing general funds of the Pittsfield Voluntary Fire Department. (Submitted by Petition)

13. We, the undersigned registered voters of the Town of Pittsfield respectfully petition the Annual Meeting of the Town of Pittsfield 1979 to open to Town maintenance a section of the road called Old Governors Road, presently closed subject to bars and gates, for a distance of approximately 1600', or to the Epsom Town Line, from the present end of maintenance at the Hill property and residence on said road. (Submitted by Petition)

13A. If action on the above Article No. 13 is affirmative, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to prepare for Town maintenance Governors Road as stated in Article No. 13.

14. To see if the Town will authorize the continuation of the committee of five persons to study town government for the purpose of making recommendations to the Town Meeting as necessary and that the Town Moderator be authorized to fill any vacancies of the committee that may occur.

15. Be it resolved by the Town of Pittsfield that the New Hampshire Housing Commission be and is authorized to operate in the Town of Pittsfield in the State of New Hampshire, that said New Hampshire Housing Commission is authorized to sponsor a project for elderly/low-income persons under Section 8 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 as amended, for any of the following accommodations or a combination thereof: (a) substantially rehabilitated housing 10 dwelling units; (b) newly constructed housing 10 dwelling units, the total amount of the foregoing not to exceed 20 dwelling units.

16. To see if the Town will vote to remove the plowed snow from the streets, roads and sidewalks in the critical business and service areas of the Town and raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose. For the purpose of this article, the so-called "critical business and service areas" are defined as follows:

a. Main Street — along the westerly side from a point opposite the northerly side of Elm Street in a southerly direction past the Carpenter Library property.

b. Main Street — along the easterly side from the intersection with Chestnut Street to the intersection with Carroll Street.

c. Main Street — along the easterly side in the area immediately adjacent to the Washington House and on the westerly side in the area immediately in front of the former Tuttle building, but only to provide public access to businesses currently in operation in that building.

d. Elm Street — along both sides from the intersection with Main Street to the Green Street intersection on the northerly side and the end of Depot Street on the southerly side.

e. Depot Street — along the easterly side from the intersection with Fayette Street to the intersection with Carroll Street and along the westerly side from the intersection with Franklin Street to a point opposite Tilton Hill Road near the building formerly occupied by Merrimack Farmers' Exchange.

f. Carroll Street — along the northerly side from the intersection with Depot Street to a point near the westerly boundary of the Maxfield Hardware Property and along the

southerly side from the intersection of Depot Street to a point near the westerly boundary of the J & R Distributors property.

17. If action on the foregoing Article No. 16 is affirmative, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of removing plowed snow from the critical business and service areas in the Town for the remainder of the fiscal year 1979. (Note — the projected estimated cost for a full fiscal year is Nine Thousand Dollars)

18. If affirmative action is taken on the foregoing two Articles No. 16 & 17, to see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to take the necessary action to control and prevent the plowing, pushing, or otherwise depositing snow from other areas in the areas from which the snow is to be removed within the scope of the foregoing Article No. 16 and to authorize the Selectmen to enter into a formal contract or contracts which they deem advisable in the interest of expediting the removal of snow when necessary. (Submitted by Petition)

19. To see if the Town will endorse and ratify the contents of the Resolution as written below: Said Resolution pertains to the "Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973" The Resolutions are to be acted upon separately and voted as such by this meeting:

WHEREAS the Town of Pittsfield, N.H. has received the final Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) established by the Federal Insurance Administration, effective January 3, 1978.

WHEREAS the Section 1910.3(d) of the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended requires that an enforceable flood plain management measures be adopted by the community which received a FIRM within six months of it's receipt.

WHEREAS the Town of Pittsfield has an enforceable flood Area Ordinance which constitutes a flood plain management measures as defined by the FIA although deficient in some detailed definitions thus constituting a technical non-compliance with the federal regulations, and

WHEREAS such non-compliance would cause undue hardship to a certain segment of the residents of the Town of Pittsfield.

THEREFORE be it resolved that we, the Selectmen of the Town of Pittsfield agree and adopt the following as correct interpretations of the Pittsfield Flood Area Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance, with the intention of making the enforceable contents of the Ordinance consistent with the detailed requirements of the Section 1910.3(d).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall remain in effect until the next regular meeting of the Town at which time a warrant article shall be introduced to see if the Town will endorse and ratify the contents of this resolution.

1. The following definitions shall apply when interpreting the contents of the Ordinance:

Area of Special Flood Hazard: means the land in the flood plain within a community subject to a one percent or greater chance of flooding in any one given year.

Development: means any man-made change to improved or unimproved real estate, including but not limited to buildings or other structures, mining, dredging, filling, grading, paving, excavation or drilling operations located within the area of special flood hazard.

Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM): means the official map on which the Federal Insurance Administration has delineated both the areas of special flood hazard and the risk premium zones applicable to the community.

Flood Insurance Study: means the official report provided by the Federal Ins. Admin. that includes flood profiles, the Flood Boundary-Floodway Map, and the water surface elevation of the base flood.

Floodway: means the channel of a river or other watercourse and the adjacent land areas that must be reserved in order to discharge the base flood without cumulatively increasing the water surface elevation more than one foot.

Substantial Improvement: means any repair, reconstruction or improvement of a structure, the cost of which equals or exceeds 50 percent of the market value of the structure either:

- (1) before the improvement or repair is started, or
- (2) if the structure has been damaged and is being restored, before the damage occurred. For the purposes of this definition "Substantial improvement" is considered to

occur when the first alteration of any wall, ceiling, floor or other structural part of the building commences, whether or not that alteration affects the external dimensions of the structure.

The term does not, however, include either:

(1) any project for improvement of a structure to comply with existing state or local health, sanitary or safety code specifications which are solely necessary to assure safe living conditions, or

(2) any alteration of a structure listed on the National Register of Historic Places or State Inventory of Historic Place.

2. The Building Inspector shall review, in addition to applications for the activities specifically listed in the Ordinance, applications for alterations of soil and topographical land features even when no buildings or structures are involved.

3. The Area of Special Flood Hazard shall include all the area designated as 1A in the FIRM and other areas designated as the special study area and having an elevation above the mean sea level of 460 feet or lower, according to the USC&GS survey map.

4. The Building Inspector shall review proposed development within the Special Flood Hazard area to assure that all necessary permits have been received from those governmental agencies from which approval is required by the Federal or State law, including Sec. 404 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, Amended 1972, 33 USC, 1334.

5. The Building Inspector shall require the record of any floodproof measures incorporated into construction within the Special Flood Hazard Area and shall maintain such records.

6. The Building Inspector shall notify, in reverine situations, adjacent communities and the State Coordinating Office prior to any alteration or relocation of a watercourse and submit copies of such notifications to the FIA Admin.

7. The Building Inspector shall ascertain that the flood carrying capacity withing the altered or relocated portion of any watercourse is maingained.

8. The word "may be" in the first line of the article 4 of the Ordinance shall be corrected to read "shall be".

9. Add at the end of the article 4 a new paragraph as follows: (m) On-site waste disposal systems shall be located to avoid impairment to them or contamination from them during flooding.

10. Delete the Paragraph 4 (a) and substitute the following: 4(a) All new construction and substantial improvements to structures located within Zones A1-30 on the FIRM shall have the lowest floor, including basement, elevated to or above the base flood level of the one hundred year storm. Non residential structures, together with attendant utility and sanitary facilities, may be designed so that below the base flood level the structure is watertight with walls substantially impermeable to the passage of flood water and with structural components having the capability of resisting hydrostatic and hydrodynamic loads and effect of bouyancy, in lieu of complying with the above requirement.

11. Revise par. 4(c) to read: 4(c) Structures, including mobilehomes, shall be firmly anchored to resist floatation and lateral movement. Further all mobile homes to be placed with Zone A shall be anchored to resist floatation, collapse, or lateral movement by providing over-the-top and frame ties to ground anchors.

12. It shall be required that within Zones A1-30 on the FIRM for new mobilehome parks, for expansions to existing mobilehome parks, and for existing mobilehome parks where the repair, reconstruction or improvement of the streets, utilities and pads equals or exceeds 50% of the value of the streets, utilities and pads before the repair, reconstruction or improvement has commenced, that (1) stands or lots are elevated on compacted fill or on pilings so that the lowest floor of the mobilehome will be at or above the base flood level, (2) adequate surface drainage and access for a hauler are provided and (3) in the instance of elevation on pilings, lots are large enough to permit steps, piling foundations are placed in stable soil no more than ten feet apart, and reinforcement is provided for pilings more than six feet above the ground level.

13. It shall be required that for all mobilehomes to be placed within Zones A1-30 on the FIRM, but not into a mobilehome park that (1) stands or lots are elevated on compacted fill or on pilings so that the lowest floor of the

mobilehome will be at or above the base flood level, (2) adequate surface drainage and access for a hauler are provided and (3) in the instance of elevation on pilings, lots are large enough to permit steps, piling foundations are placed in stable soil no more than 10 feet apart, and reinforcement is provided for piers more than six feet above ground level.

14. Placement of any mobilehomes, except in an existing mobilehome park, within the adopted regulatory floodway shall be prohibited.

15. The Building Inspector shall review subdivision proposals and other proposed new development to determine whether such proposals will be reasonably safe from flooding. If a subdivision proposal or other proposed new development is in a flood-prone area, any such proposals shall be reviewed to assure that (1) all such proposals are consistent with the need to minimize flood damage within the flood-prone area, (2) all public utilities and facilities, such as sewer, gas, electrical and water systems are located and constructed to minimize or eliminate flood damage and (3) adequate drainage is provided to reduce exposure to flood hazards.

16. It shall be required that where floodproofing is utilized for a particular structure in accordance with par. (c) (3) and (c) (8) of 1910.3c4 or (b) (3) of 1910.6 a registered professional engineer or architect shall certify that the floodproofing methods are adequate to withstand the flood depths, pressures, velocities, impact and uplift forces and other factors associated with the base flood and a record of such certification indicating the specific elevation in relation to mean sea level to which such structures are floodproofed shall be maintained with the official designated by the community under 1900.22 (a) (9).

17. Enroachments, including fill, new construction, substantial improvements and other development within the adopted regulatory floodway that would result in any increase in flood levels within the community during the occurrence of the base flood discharge shall be prohibited.

18. Until such time as the Town adopts formal procedure, the Board of Selectmen shall have the sole responsibility and authority to review and grant variances

and exceptions. In granting such variances and exceptions, the primary intent of the Ordinance shall be preserved to the extent that such variances and exceptions will not create danger from flood to human lives or properties.

20. To see if the Town will accept the following Trust Funds:

Perpetual care of the following lots:

Charles E. Emerson Lot, Floral Park by Abbie (Emerson) Geer	\$ 140.00
Nathaniel Wilson Adams Lot, Floral Park by F. Chester Adams & Blake E. Adams	300.00
Bert Noble Lot, Floral Park by Rita M. Noble	150.00
George W. Johnson Lot, Floral Park in memory of Walter F. Johnson (Father) by Helen Johnson Mancini & George Johnson	250.00
Carl A. Hast Lot, Floral Park by Frederick Hast	150.00
Curtis S. Perry Lot, Floral Park by Nester C. Perry	300.00
Alta B. Johnson Lot, Floral Park by Alta B. Johnson	150.00
	\$1,440.00

21. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hand and seal the 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Nine.

LESTER S. EMERSON
FLOYD J. CARSON
STEVEN A. DAVIS
Selectmen of Pittsfield

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

LESTER S. EMERSON
FLOYD J. CARSON
STEVEN A. DAVIS
Selectmen of Pittsfield

INVENTORY OF TOWN

Land - Improved and Unimproved	9,858,800.00
Buildings	18,092,130.00
Factory Buildings	1,598,880.00
Public Water Utility (Privately owned)	405,900.00
Public Utilities (Electric Plants)	774,820.00
Trailers & Mobile Homes	730,050.00
Boats and Launches	<u>11,380.00</u>

Total Valuation before Exemptions Allowed	31,471,960.00
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Elderly Exemptions (47)	<u>223,910.00</u>
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Total Exemptions Other Than Veterans	223,910.00
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Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	438,542.29
Resident Tax Retained	15,790.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	<u>174.70</u>

Total	454,506.99
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War Service Credit Allowed (221)	<u>11,850.00</u>
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Grand Total	442,656.99
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Penalty - Inventory not filed	1,420.00
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Tax Rate per \$100 Valuation--\$1.44

PITTSFIELD SOLID WASTE MAINTENANCE

Receipts during 1978	\$72,532.73
Payments during 1978	<u>71,679.34</u>

Balance on Dec. 31, 1978	853.39
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	57,210.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	42,650.00
Furniture and Equipment	74,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings (Town Hall) Equipment	7,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	158,670.00
Equipment	50,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	12,510.00
Equipment	75,000.00
Materials and Supplies	2,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	130,840.00
Water Supply Facilities, Dam Sites	12,040.00
Sewer Plant & Facilities, if owned by Town	3,400,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	1,044,480.00
Equipment	100,000.00
All Lands and Buildings Acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	86,440.00
All other Property and Equipment: Solid Waste Facility (operated w/3 other towns)	<u>65,235.000</u>
Total	\$5,322,075.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Births	33
Marriages	46
Deaths	30

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Hillsgrove
Town Clerk

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1979 (1979-80)
SOURCES OF REVENUE			
FROM STATE:			
Resident Taxes	14,000.00	14,480.00	14,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	200.00	175.00	175.00
Yield Taxes	2,000.00	5,595.00	2,000.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes		3,206.00	2,000.00
Resident Tax Penalties		288.00	
Inventory Penalties		570.00	
FROM STATE			
Meals and Rooms Tax	27,000.00	32,009.00	28,000.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	12,000.00	22,350.00	15,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	7,000.00	8,202.00	7,000.00
Highway Subsidy	16,620.00	16,620.00	16,544.00
Town Road Aid	800.00	836.00	950.00
Class V Highway Maint. (Duncan Fund)	7,400.00	7,372.00	7,385.00
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	375.00	587.00	500.00
Reimb. a/c Old Age Assistance	50.00	19.00	
Reimb. a/c Business Profits Tax	67,715.00	67,715.00	67,715.00
Reimb. a/c LEAA Grant	6,063.00	6,331.00	1,659.00
Reimb. a/c N. H. Retire. System		23.00	
Additional Highway Subsidy	9,244.00	9,244.00	10,727.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES			
EXCEPT TAXES			
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	50,000.00	64,637.00	60,000.00
Dog Licenses	800.00	1,792.00	1,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	200.00	168.00	150.00
Fines & Forfeits, Mun. & Dist. Court	6,500.00	3,900.00	3,000.00
Serial Notes (Incinerator)	50,000.00	62,500.00	
Interest Received on Deposits	2,000.00	1,877.00	1,800.00
Income from Trust Funds		15,811.00	
Income from Departments	9,000.00	8,325.00	9,000.00
Income from Wastewater Department			40,500.00
Sale of present Cruiser			1,000.00
Solid Waste Facility (3 Towns)	33,327.00	48,187.00	
Eng. Fee Wastewater Treatment	83,550.00	83,550.00	
Solid Waste Facility (3 Towns) (Capitol)	187,500.00	187,500.00	
Serial Notes (Grader)	26,454.00	26,454.00	
Fire Truck Donations	10,000.00	14,442.00	13,800.00
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN			
CURRENT REVENUE:			
Revenue Sharing Fund	25,000.00	25,523.00	25,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	654,798.00	740,228.00	328,905.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Recommended 1979 (1979-80)	Submitted Without Recommendation
General Government:			
Town Officer's Salaries	18,555.00	19,000.00	
Town Officer's Expenses	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Election & Registration Expenses	800.00	425.00	
Municipal & District Court Expenses	5,700.00	5,700.00	
Town Hall & Other Buildings	5,000.00	6,000.00	
Tax Map Maintenance	400.00	600.00	
Admin. Assistant & Secretary		10,000.00	(½ yr.)
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	30,441.00	37,370.00	
Fire Department, Inc. Forest Fires	14,050.00	19,047.00	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	2,500.00	1,500.00	
Planning and Zoning	375.00	100.00	
Insurance	10,000.00	8,000.00	
Civil Defense	100.00	100.00	
Snow Removal business District		5,000.00	
Health Department:			
Ambulance	4,998.00	5,073.00	
Vital Statistics	75.00	75.00	
Town Dump & Stump Removal	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Wateswater Treatment Plant	5,500.00	40,500.00	
Incinerator Operation	53,000.00	27,900.00	
Storm Sewer Maintenance	2,500.00	2,000.00	
Highways & Bridges:			
Town Road Aid	836.00	950.00	
Town Maintenance	62,000.00	62,000.00	
Street Lighting	13,537.00	13,500.00	
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	15,000.00	16,000.00	
Class V Maint. (Duncan Fund)	7,372.00	7,388.00	
Highway Subsidy-Class IV & V Maint.	16,620.00	16,544.00	
Reopening Governor's Road		4,000.00	
Libraries:	6,600.00	6,600.00	
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	6,300.00	6,300.00	
Old Age Assistance	7,000.00	1,500.00	
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	2,000.00	2,500.00	
Patriotic Purposes(Mem. Day, etc.)	150.00	200.00	
Recreation:			
Parks & Playgrd., Band Concerts	2,200.00	2,500.00	

Public Service Enterprises:

Municipal Water Dept	23,227.00	24,491.00
Cemeteries	200.00	200.00
Community Action	431.00	425.00

Unclassified:

Damages & Legal Expenses	1,000.00	2,500.00
Employees' Retirement & Soc. Sec.	10,734.00	12,000.00

Debt Service:

Principal-Long Term Notes & Bonds	35,991.00	28,954.00
Interest-Long Term Notes & Bonds	4,700.00	6,714.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	2,600.00	2,600.00

Capital Outlay:

Sidewalk Construction	150.00	2,000.00
Tarring Account	8,000.00	8,000.00
Grader	51,454.00	
Incinerator	250,000.00	
Highway Sander (Rev. Share)		
Cost 6,200. trade-in 1,700.		4,500.00
Audit Town Books (Rev. Share)		4,000.00
Town Hall Renovation (Rev. Share)		13,500.00
Police Cruiser (Rev. Share)		6,065.00
Additional Highway Subsidy	9,244.00	10,727.00
Fire Truck (inc. donations)		
Unexpended Special Approp.	71,000.00	
Bridge — Webster Mills		
Unexpended Special Approp.	47,000.00	5,800.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	818,340.00	469,848.00

REVENUE SHARING PROGRAM REPORT**For Entitlement Periods Ending December 31, 1978**

January 1, 1978 Balance		19,640.68
Interest Accumulated	955.59	
Receipts	25,874.00	26,829.59
Withdrawals:		
Grader		25,000.00
Balance January 1, 1979		21,470.27

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

March 14, 1978

The Moderator, Leo Fraser, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and read Article #1.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing. (Polls shall be open at 10:00 A.M. and not close before 6:00 P.M.)

A motion was then made and seconded to postpone the reading of the balance of the warrant until the evening meeting at 8:00 P.M. at the Greenleaf Auditorium.

The polls were closed by the Moderator at 6:02 P.M. with the results of the voting as follows: 561 total ballots cast and counted.

Selectman for 3 years	
Steven A. Davis	428
Tax Collector for 3 Years	
Henry F. Gray	327
James S. Hillsgrove	182
Archie S. Rogers	51
Overseer of Public Welfare	
Donald F. Golden	455
Auditors	
Frances Marston	41 (write-in votes)
Donald Bergeron	32 (write-in votes)
Gerald Gilman	29 (write-in votes)
Arnold Wells	26 (write-in votes)
Trustee of Trust Funds for 3 Years	
Ogden H. Boyd, Sr.	494
Library Trustee for 3 Years	
Ralph C. Van Horn	494
Fireward for 3 Years	
Frederick T. Hast	489
Moderator for 2 Years	
Leo W. Fraser, Jr.	480
Supervisor of Checklist for 6 Years	
Frances A. Marston	505

Moderator, Leo Fraser, called the meeting to order at 8:00 P.M. at the Greenleaf Auditorium with Rev. Arthur Bucknam giving the invocation.

Moderator then announced that anyone wishing to be heard on an article should first stand and state their name.

Article #2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$47,000.00 as Pittsfield's share for rebuilding of the bridge on Websters Mills Road and to authorize the Selectmen to pay for same with serial notes over a period of five years.

John Teague made a motion to accept the article as read. Duly seconded.

Elsie Morse — Does this appear in Chichester's warrant this year?

Lester Emerson — This article may not appear in Chichester's warrant this year. The reason being that before our reassessment the State equalization value brought our share to \$47,000.00 and Chichester at \$53,000.00. Of course, since our reassessment this figure will change drastically in the other direction. Because of these figures Chichester was reluctant to include it in their warrant, but Pittsfield Selectmen felt that it should be included in our warrant to show our Town's intention in case of an accident.

Elsie Morse — If Chichester does not raise the money, will the bridge be built this year?

Lester Emerson — The total cost of the bridge is \$300,000.00 with the State paying \$200,000.00, so if Chichester doesn't vote their portion the bridge would not be built in 1978. Even though there is a chance that the bridge won't be built this year, the Selectmen would like a vote that the Town would be willing to go along with it.

Wally Andreson — Why don't the Selectmen of Pittsfield and Chichester get together and decide whether it is going to be voted on in both towns? If we do agree on it, what happens to the money if Chichester doesn't vote on it?

Gordon Weldon — If we vote in the affirmative we are protecting ourselves so that we won't be liable for an accident should one occur on the bridge. If the money is not spent on the bridge, there will be no impact on the tax rate. The next article allows us not to act should Chichester not vote affirmative. Motion carried.

Article #3. If action on the above Article #2 is affirmative, to see if the Town will vote to make the above action contingent on shares to be received from the State of New Hampshire and the Town of Chichester for construction of the bridge.

Don Bergeron moved the article as read and John Teague seconded. Motion carried.

Article #4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund, established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) to apply toward the purchase of a Clark Austin-Western (Pacer 301) Grader.

John Teague moved the article as read and Elliot Towle seconded. Motion carried.

Article #5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectment to raise the sum of \$26,454.00 with five annual serial notes to pay the balance on the new Grader (Total \$91,868.00, allowance on trade-in \$40,414.00, Revenue Sharing Fund \$25,000.00, \$26,454.00 serial notes).

Don Bergeron made a motion to accept the article as read and John Teague seconded. Motion carried.

Article #6. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to adopt the provisions of RSA 252 amended as they deem necessary. This statute pertains to the construction managing and maintaining the Town of Pittsfield's sewage and storm water system.

Gordon Weldon moved to amend the article as read "To see if the Town will adopt the provisions of RSA 252 as amended. This statute pertains to the construction managing and maintaining the Town of Pittsfield's sewage and storm water system." Amended motion duly seconded and voted affirmative.

Article #7. To see if the Town will vote favorably to accept the following: "Be it resolved by the Town of Pittsfield that the New Hampshire Housing Commission be and is authorized to operate in the Town of Pittsfield, in the State of New Hampshire; that said New Hampshire Housing Commission is authorized to sponsor a project for elderly persons under Section 8 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 as amended, for any of the following accommodations or a combination thereof: (a) existing standard housing 10 dwelling units; (b) substantially rehabilitated housing 0 dwelling units; (c) newly constructed housing 40 dwelling units; the total amount of the foregoing not to exceed 50 dwelling units."

Don Bergeron moved the article as read and Arnold Wells seconded.

Henry Stapleton — Would you explain Section 8 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 as amended?

John Campbell — The elderly only have to pay 25% of their monthly income for rent. Remainder is subsidized by Federal Government.

Mary Siel — Why was this article put in the warrant and is the Town proposing to construct a housing complex?

Lester Emerson — This was put in at the suggestion of the N.H. Housing Commission to help elderly people with low income. There was talk of building some new units at this time but the federal grant for new construction has been used up for this year. The article as it is written will make it possible for 10 housing units now in existence to be brought up to a standard which the government requires to benefit elderly people who are forced to give up their homes due to health, taxes, etc. They have to go somewhere and maybe we can take care of a few of them right here in Pittsfield. Maybe next year we will be able to get a grant for new construction.

Don Bergeron — I understand that there is a local contractor who is interested in putting these units up.

Elliot Towle — Why does it have to be an affirmative vote from the Town?

Lester Emerson — In order to be able to apply for the money to accomplish these renovations and new construction, it must be an affirmative vote of the Town.

Elliot Towle — Are these units to be renovated privately owned?

Lester Emerson — Yes, for existing renovated units, and the new units that have been proposed by a local contractor will be owned privately. The project has to be approved by the federal government, and the Town has to vote affirmatively before it would be eligible for federal assistance.

Bill Pethic — Since the federal government will have to act and vote on any units that might come into the community, do we have a right to approve or disapprove? Also, what control do we as a Town have as far as sewer and water mains, etc. are concerned?

Lester Emerson — It will be controlled by the N.H. Housing Commission, but is strictly for elderly and will not burden our schools. Additional asset as taxable property.

Elliot Towle — Does the Town have any say as far as location goes?

Lester Emerson — Only say would be if it meets specifications of N.H. Housing Commission controlled by Federal Government. As long as it meets standards it could be erected anywhere. A parcel has been located, but I'm not sure at this time if it has been purchased.

Discussion continued with the main concern being the location and the cost to the Town if they have to put in new sewer and water lines if the new complex was not serviced by public utilities.

Moderator recognized Attorney Greenhalge who read the powers and duties of the N.H. Housing Commission. Primarily they act as a go-between, between federal, state, and local governments in regard to housing to be federally funded, etc.

Moderator called for a vote and the voice vote was questionable so a show of hands was requested. Motion carried.

article #8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eight

Article #8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars (4,998.00) for the support of the salaries of the Barnsted Ambulance Service. (Entered without recommendation of the Budget Committee).

John Perkins moved the article as read and it was duly seconded.

Gordon Weldon — Would the chairman of the Budget Committee explain the action of the Budget Committee on this article?

John Teague — The Budget Committee continues to feel that the Barnstead Ambulance committee should substantiate their requests for specific amounts. The Budget Committee feels that it is setting a bad precedent not having more information as to other sources of income, etc. The \$4,998.00 is to be allocated towards the staff. Since this was the only information the Barnstead Ambulance Committee was willing to divulge, and since the Budget Committee spent considerable time discussing this article without coming to any definite conclusions, it was felt it should be left up to the Town's people to decide for themselves if they still

want the services of the ambulance.

Dr. Argue — I think the question before us is do we really want the ambulance? I move the question. Motion carried.

Article #9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) to prepare for Town maintenance a section of road called Thompson or Johnson Road for the distance of 1800 feet from the present end of maintenance at the Emerson property and residence on said road. (Not recommended by the Budget Committee).

Bernard Mitchell moved the article as read and James Bond seconded.

Floyd Carson — This article was voted last year without a money figure. He then read a copy of a letter the Selectmen mailed to Bernard Mitchell dated June 9, 1977 stating that they felt that the Town could absorb about \$1500.00 to open this road. After checking the road further they found that the figure of \$1,500.00 was an underestimate and would be about \$5,000.00 which the Selectmen felt was too high. In the letter they asked Mr. Mitchell for a copy of his plans showing the size of house he was going to build, a letter from the bank that a construction loan had been approved, and the state approved plan for the septic system. This is a Class 6 highway so we cannot use state funds. The Selectmen never received a response from Mr. Mitchell to their letter.

John Barto — Can we have a ruling if we can raise any money under this article because it was not recommended by the Budget Committee.

Attorney Greenhalge — Can't raise money under this article, but under the highway general maintenance applying the 10% ruling.

Motion failed.

Article #10. If action of the above Article 9 is not affirmative, to see if the Town will vote to close the above mentioned section of Thompson or Johnson Road subject to gates or bars.

Vernon LeDuc moved the article as read and John Teague seconded.

Bernard Mitchell — There is a man now living on that road — how does he get in and out if the road is closed.

Floyd Carson — This is a Class 6 highway — you can use

the road but the Town is not liable to maintain it. Motion carried.

Article #11. To see if the Town will authorize the Fire Department to join the Capital Area Mutual Aid Compact and Dispatch Service.

Fred Hast moved the article as read and Bob Feeny seconded.

Don Bergeron asked for an explanation.

Fred Hast explained that this would give the Town the services of a professional dispatcher 24 hours a day. At present, the phones are not staffed during a fire. This dispatcher would automatically call mutual aid. We have been approached in the years past to join but felt the money they were asking would not offset our benefits. However, the cost has been going down each year and for this year it would be \$997.00 and the same for next year. In 1980 we will have to pay according to the valuation of the Town. Our cost at present to operate an answering service and red phone is \$950.00. Chief Hast commended the present dispatcher for her fine work for the past 10-12 years.

Question was raised as to insurance break.

Fred Hast — The Underwriters are in the area and they are going to try and set up an insurance break within 5 miles of the station. There is a possibility that if we join this service we will get an insurance break. Motion carried.

Article #12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, rent or lease any or all property acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds, or any other source, and to administer said property as they deem in the best interests of the Town.

John Teague moved the article as read and Elliot Towle seconded. Motion carried.

Article #13. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for and accept aid relative to disasters should they occur in the future.

Paul Metcalf moved the article as read and Bob Feeny seconded. Motion carried.

Article #14. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Five Dollars and 37 cents (\$13,585.37) received as donation toward the purchase of a new fire truck. Also, to see if the Town will vote to accept

future donations which have been pledged toward the purchase of the fire truck.

Gordon Weldon — Where is the warrant article relative to the fire truck?

Lester Emerson — Due to the negligence on the part of the Selectmen we did not get an article in the warrant, but the amount is included in the budget as serial notes for 5 years to cover the balance. Pledges are coming in and there will be about \$71,000.00 total over the next 5 years.

Wally Andreson — Is this legal to do this?

Atty. Greenhalge — Under RSA 35 — you will need a 2/3 vote of those voters present, since it was voted at last year's meeting to put \$20,000.00 in capital reserve for this purpose. Motion carried.

Article #15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of 1978 taxes, the same to be repaid with that year's levy.

Elliot Towle moved the article as read and it was duly seconded. Motion carried.

Article #16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to accept payments in prepayment of taxes according to RSA 80:52-a.

Elliot Towle moved the article as read and John Teague seconded. Motion carried.

Article #17. We the undersigned registered voters of Pittsfield request that the following article, "to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$430.71 for the continuation of services to the low-income and elderly residents of Pittsfield through the Suncook Area Center of The Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.", be placed on the 1978 Town Warrant. (Submitted by Petition)

Ed Hall moved the article as read and Ed Drake seconded.

John Teague spoke on behalf of the Budget Committee commenting that they were very impressed with the amount of services the Town of Pittsfield is receiving. Motion carried.

Article #18. To see if the Town will vot to raise and appropriate the sums of money recommended by the Budget Committee to defray Town expenses for the year ensuing or pass any motion related thereto.

John Teague made a motion that we accept the figure of \$785,103.22. Chester Francis seconded. This amount represents the budget figure of \$780,105.22 plus the \$4,998.00 voted under Article #8.

Discussion regarding the \$47,000, for the bridge on Websters Mills Road was brought up again. It was explained that even though we have agreed to raise the money for our portion, if Chichester doesn't vote on it it will never appear on our tax rate as an expenditure.

Question was raised if we need a 2/3 vote for the fire truck doesn't this apply also to the bridge, grader, and incinerator?

Under Article #5 it was a unanimous vote for the grader. The incinerator was authorized in August so it doesn't have to be a 2/3 vote tonight. Motion unanimously carried.

Article #19. We, the undersigned registered voters of the Town of Pittsfield, respectfully petition the Annual Meeting of the Town of Pittsfield 1978 to act on the following: "Because of the ever increasing complexity of effectively managing the affairs of Town Government — To study alternative methods of improving the system of town management for the Town of Pittsfield, and to authorize the Town Moderator to appoint a committee of five persons to make such a study and report not later than the Town Meeting of 1979." (Submitted by Petition)

Henry Stapleton moved the article as read and Bob Feeny seconded.

Gordon Weldon asked the Moderator to read the names on the petition. Motion carried.

Article #20. We, the undersigned registered voters of the Town of Pittsfield respectfully petition "the Town of Pittsfield to vote and to send a letter to the General Court urging the court to pass legislation that would prohibit utilities from including in their customer rates financing charges for facilities not actually able to provide service." (Submitted by Petition)

The Moderator read the names on the petition.

Don Bergeron — Realizing the controversy of this article — I move that it be tabled indefinitely.

Since the Moderator rules there could be no further discussion on an article that had been tabled — Don Bergeron withdrew his motion to table.

Don Bergeron explained his feelings as to why it is necessary to charge for Construction Work in Progress. He feels that if the utilities are prohibited from including in their rates financing charges for CWIP that the present work at Seabrook will be halted, and it will definitely effect our future electricity very seriously.

Elizabeth Allen spoke on behalf of the petitioners. She read a prepared statement which stated that they felt it grossly unfair to allow public utilities to continue to charge people for a facility that cannot provide any services.

A heated debate followed and finally John Argue made a motion to table this article. Don Bergeron seconded. Voice vote was questionable and a show of hands vote carried with 108 in favor.

Article #21. To see if the Town will accept the following Trust Funds:

Perpetual care of the following lots:

Clarence W. or Inez Emerson Lot by Ona Twombly	300.00
Elmer N. Spoor Lot by Ona Twombly	100.00
Arthur F. Sargent Lot by Dennis E. Murphy	150.00
French/Kelley Lot, Floral Park Cemetery by Thelma French	300.00
Charles E. Morrell IV Lot, Quaker Cemetery by Alice Morrell	200.00
Adelard Pelissier Lot, Mt. Calvary Cemetery by Donald Pelissier	200.00
Marion Dow Lot by Marion Dow	300.00
Col. J. Frank Drake Lot, Floral Park Cemetery by Col. J. Frank Drake	5,000.00
Col. James Drake Lot, Floral Park Cemetery by Col. J. Frank Drake	1,000.00
Major James Drake Lot, Floral Park Cemetery by Col. J. Frank Drake	500.00
Rev. Edwin J. Aiken Lot, Floral Park Cemetery by Col. J. Frank Drake	400.00
Drake Circle, Floral Park Cemetery by Col. J. Frank Drake	2,000.00
Quaker Burial Grounds by Col. J. Frank Drake	5,000.00
	\$15,450.00

John Teague made a motion that we accept the Trust Funds as printed in the Town Report. Bob Feeny seconded. Motion carried.

Article #22. Henry Stapleton moved that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to receive any and all donations received from the Pittsfield Rotary Club or any other source for the restoration of the bandstand at Dustin Park.

Motion duly seconded and voted affirmative.

Moderator then read the results of the Town and School District elections.

Officers present were sworn in.

Paul Metcalf made a motion we adjourn and Don Bergeron seconded. Motion to adjourn at 10:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Hills Grove Town Clerk

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1978

Title of Appropriation	Amount of Appropriation	Receipts & Reimb.	Total Amt. Available	Expendi- tures	Unexpend. Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	18,555.	623.	19,178.	21,721.		2,543.
Town Officers' Expense	7,000.	324.	7,324.	8,228.		904.
Election & Registration Expense	800.	10.	810.	633.	177.	
Municipal & District Court Expenses	5,700.	3,900.	9,600.	5,365.	4,235.	
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	5,000.	729.	5,729.	3,462.	2,267.	
Police Department	30,441.	9,284.	39,725.	39,762.		37.
Fire Department	14,050.	691.	14,741.	12,348.		
Care of Trees	2,500.		2,500.	1,050.	2,393.	
Planning & Zoning	375.		375.	169.	1,450.	
Insurance	10,000.		10,000.	7,781.	206.	
Civil Defense	100.		100.	43.	2,219.	
Ambulance	4,998.		4,998.	4,998.	57.	
Vital Statistics	75.		75.	62.	13.	
Town Dump & Stump Removal	2,000.		2,000.	1,053.	947.	
Incinerator (33,326. - 3 Towns)	19,673.	311.	19,984.	21,427.		1,443.
Storm Sewer Maintenance	2,500.		2,500.	1,400.	1,100.	
Town Road Aid	836.		836.	836.		
Highway Account	62,000.	3,594.	65,594.	55,179.	10,415.	
Street Lighting	13,537.		13,537.	13,417.	120.	
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	15,000.		15,000.	16,386.		1,386.
Library	6,600.	2,230.	8,830.	8,830.		
Public Welfare	15,300.	939.	16,239.	12,831.	3,408.	
Patriotic Purposes	150.		150.	181.		31.
Recreation	2,200.	603.	2,803.	2,469.	334.	

Water Works	23,227.	61.	23,227.	23,227.	
Cemeteries	200.		261.	212.	49.
Legal Expenses	1,000.		1,000.	2,892.	
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	10,734.	103.	10,837.	9,385.	1,892.
Principal - Notes & Bonds	35,991.		35,991.	30,700.	5,291.
Interest - Notes & Bonds	4,700.		4,700.	6,708.	
Interest - Temporary Loans	2,600.	96.	2,696.	3,263.	2,008.
Tax Map Maintenance	400.		400.	400.	567.
Sidewalk Construction	150.		150.	---	
Tarring Account	8,000.		8,000.	---	150.
Grader	51,454.		51,454.	51,454.	8,000.
Bridge - Webster Mills	47,000.		47,000.	---	47,000.
Fire Truck	71,000.		71,000.	---	71,000.
Incinerator	250,000.		250,000.	250,000.	
Wastewater Treatment	5,500.		5,500.	10,417.	4,917.
Community Action	431.		431.	431.	
Highway Subsidy	16,620.		16,620.	17,176.	556.
Additional Highway Subsidy	9,244.		9,244.	8,904.	340.
Class V Maintenance (Duncan Fund)	7,372.		7,372.	7,086.	286.
	<u>785,013.</u>	<u>23,498.</u>	<u>808,511.</u>	<u>661,886.</u>	<u>162,909.</u>
					<u>16,284.</u>

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF INDEBTEDNESS, VALUATION AND TAXES

Fiscal Year Ended	Long Term Notes & Bonds	Net Debt or Surplus*	Valuation	Total Taxes Assessed	Taxes Uncollected	Taxes Unredeemed	Tax Avg.	
							Rate Per \$100 Local	Rate Per \$100 State
December 31, 1968	20,000.00	6,213.87	4,669,969.00	335,614.97	88,860.48	9,254.40	7.20	4.44
December 31, 1969	14,000.00	5,073.06	4,783,237.00	349,176.30	104,135.66	6,912.51	7.30	4.46
December 31, 1970	9,000.00	8,406.44*	4,600,410.00	326,629.11	62,198.31	5,486.03	7.10	3.90
December 31, 1971	4,000.00	1,558.57	4,706,360.00	362,502.44	88,727.93	7,825.17	7.90	4.03
December 31, 1972		8,292.53*	5,225,995.00	350,581.11	55,263.91	4,205.42	6.90	3.94
December 31, 1973	28,500.00	9,293.73*	5,288,785.00	343,758.33	53,416.49	4,676.82	6.70	3.87
December 31, 1974	189,800.00	68,996.85*	6,386,065.00	424,198.17	88,424.87	6,893.83	6.80	3.80
December 31, 1975	152,100.00	31,114.25*	6,725,144.00	454,868.63	84,158.93	10,469.49	7.00	3.94
December 31, 1976	116,400.00	12,173.47*	6,800,979.00	485,953.32	99,604.81	15,862.70	7.40	4.00
December 31, 1977	75,000.00	2,061.98	31,320,540.00	554,770.30	500,559.87	11,579.50	1.80	3.97
December 31, 1978	138,954.00	*	31,471,960.00	438,542.29	93,807.90	17,159.93	1.44	3.75

*Awaiting Town Audit

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash:

In hands of Treasurer (Inc. Rev. Share)	\$129,636.76
In hands of Overseer	68.47
Webster Mills Bridge (Treas. Notes)	47,000.00
Fire Truck (Treas. Notes)	44,000.00
Fire Truck (Donations)	14,034.67
Willie Martel Estate	695.00
Town Aid Reimbursement	321.30

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy 1977	12,226.84
Levy 1976	5,696.05

17,922.89

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy 1978	93,952.18
Levy 1977	1,020.00
Levy 1976	521.32

95,493.50

Dump Fund	1,350.46
War Memorial Fund	1,451.46

Total Assets \$351,974.51

Liabilities

Revenue Sharing	21,470.27
Balance Owed School District	223,893.00
Fire Truck	57,419.63
Webster Mills Bridge	47,000.00

Total Liabilities 349,782.90

Excess of assets over liabilities: 2,191.61

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Cash on hand January 1, 1978 \$13,667.89

Adjustment cash on hand 1/1/78 (8,258.95)

Receipts:

From William S. Boyd & Henry F. Gray,
Tax Collectors 702,224.36

From James S. Hillsgrove, Town Clerk
Auto Permits 64,636.50

Dog Licenses 1,792.35

Filing Fees 13.00

State of New Hampshire 164,310.29

Municipal Court 3,898.01

Licenses and Permits 155.00

Income from:

Highway Department 1,989.55

Police Department 9,284.00

Fire Department 690.87

Swimming Pool 620.55

Town Dump 518.66

New and Additional Trust Funds 15,340.00

Tax Collector's Sale 26,081.23

Tax Anticipation Notes 140,000.00

5—Year Serial Notes 88,954.00

Revenue Sharing Account 25,000.00

Carpenter Public Library (S.S.-Wh. - Oil) 2,229.90

Pollution Abatement 83,550.00

Fund for New Fire Truck 44,845.90

Sale of Town History Books 140.22

Welfare 938.77

Miscellaneous 2,899.67

1,380,112.83

Cash on hand January 1, 1978 . 5,408.94

1,385,521.77

Less Selectmen's Vouchers 1,277,355.28

108,166.49

Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1978	211,462.85
Deposited in January 1979	<u>7,539.69</u>

	219,002.54
Less Vouchers not paid by Bank	<u>110,836.05</u>

\$108,166.49

Elsie S. Weeks
Treasurer

PITTSFIELD SOLID WASTE FACILITY

1978 Detailed Statement of Payments:

Wages	40,030.24
Pittsfield - Social Security	750.74
Barnstead - Social Security	653.85
Propane Gas	12,552.87
Supplies & Parts	1,558.59
Gasoline & Oil	874.04
Advertising	159.24
Sub-Contractors	2,546.47
Sand & Gravel	114.12
Survey	418.40
Dump Burning	398.56
Miscellaneous	1,512.10
Workmens Compensation	5,397.00
Electricity	2,481.30
Telephone	441.59
Blue Cross-Blue Shield	<u>350.94</u>

70,270.05

1978 Receipts:

Barnstead	17,383.16
Chichester	9,622.74
Epsom	18,150.00
Pittsfield	21,115.48
CETA	4,783.37
Metals	345.00
Tires	9.50
Workmens Compensation	<u>79.00</u>

71,488.25

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

Bank	Maturity	Principal	Interest
Shawmut (Fire Station)	1979	10,000.00	3,000.00
	1980	10,000.00	2,400.00
	1981	10,000.00	1,800.00
	1982	10,000.00	1,200.00
	1983	5,000.00	600.00
	1984	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>300.00</u>
		50,000.00	9,300.00
The Manchester Bank (Incinerator)	1979	12,500.00	2,576.25
	1980	12,500.00	2,003.75
	1981	12,500.00	1,431.25
	1982	12,500.00	858.75
	1983	<u>12,500.00</u>	<u>286.25</u>
		62,500.00	7,156.25
Farmington Bank (Grader)	1979	6,454.00	1,138.12
	1980	5,000.00	857.50
	1981	5,000.00	612.50
	1982	5,000.00	367.50
	1983	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>122.50</u>
		26,454.00	3,098.12
Total		138,954.00	19,554.37

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT FOR 1978

1978 Auto Permits	\$64,636.50
1978 Dog Licenses	1,792.35
1978 Filing Fees	<u>13.00</u>

Respectfully submitted, \$66,441.85
James S. Hillsgrove
Town Clerk

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries:

Selectmen	3,200.00
Tax Collectors	9,425.92
Town Treasurer	1,100.00
Town Clerk	3,328.00
Trustee of Trust Funds	356.25
Town Moderator	50.00
Auditors	150.00
Selectmen's Bookkeeper	2,338.00
Selectmen's Secretary	1,773.00

21,721.17

Town Officers' Expenses:

Printing and Ads	2,615.80
Telephone	684.04
Supplies	1,477.21
Dues	326.77
Recording Deeds	44.26
Town Clerk & Tax Coll. Expenses	1,005.69
Copy Machine Service Contract	175.00
Adm.costs OASI Fund	21.63
Board Taxation --- review appra.	144.10
Tax Computation Service	1,474.19
Postage & Miscellaneous	259.74

8,228.43

Election and Registration Expense:

Ballot Clerks	130.00
Ballots and Supplies	22.54
Meals	180.00
Supervisors of Checklist	300.00

632.54

Municipal and District Court Expense:

Judge	3,000.00
Clerk of the Court	1,800.00
Associate Judge	500.00
Furniture	65.00

5,365.00

Town Hall And Other Town Buildings:

Electricity	1,624.63
Janitor	300.00
Oil	1,169.82
Town Clock	134.00
Repairs	161.75
Supplies	71.38

\$3,461.58

Police Department;

Chief Salary (James Blake)	10,208.86
Officers' Salary (Vaughn Siel)	6,919.92
Officers' Salary	4,102.84
Mileage and Accident Reports	297.10
Cruiser Repairs	3,086.63
Gasoline	2,140.60
Telephone & Communications (dispatch)	5,939.11
Supplies and Film	937.28
Uniforms	796.77
LEAA Grant (Town's Share)	5,321.00
Training	12.00

\$39,762.11

Fire Department:

Electricity	4,113.01
New Equipment	31.87
Answering Service	370.04
Phone & Communications (alarm system)	1,648.64
Supplies and Repairs	1,647.95
Payroll	2,650.00
Gasoline	540.81
Forest Fires	342.99
Training	105.75
Dispatch	498.50
Alarm Repair	398.00

\$12,347.56

Care of Trees:	
Tree Warden	50.00
Tree Service and Removal	1,000.00
	\$1,050.00

Insurance:	
Town Offices and Equipment	\$7,781.14

Civil Defense:	
Supplies	\$42.50

Health Department:	
Ambulance	\$4,998.00

Vital Statistics	\$61.75
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Sewer Maintenance:	
Town Payroll	544.50
Trucking	176.50
Supplies	587.10
Sub-Contractors	32.00
Rotor Rooter	60.00
	\$1,400.10

Sewer Treatment Plant:	
Attendants	6,303.14
Telephone	168.48
Electricity	1,560.06
Chemicals	699.05
Supplies	468.22
Miscellaneous	332.53
Gas	885.23
	\$10,416.71

Town Dump and Stump Removal:	
Town Payroll	134.00
Trucking	64.00
Bulldozing	207.00

Leather & Stump Dump Rentals	618.19
Test Holes	<u>30.00</u>
	\$1,053.19
Incinerator:	
Pittsfield's Share	21,115.48
Town Payroll	<u>311.25</u>
	\$21,426.73
Town Road Aid:	
State Highway	\$835.96
Highway Account:	
Town Payroll	37,438.57
Trucking	15,390.15
Equipment	764.00
Gravel	<u>1,586.20</u>
	\$55,178.92
Highway General Expenses & Equipment Repair:	
Grader	2,639.28
York Rake	842.77
Sander	3,393.66
Payloader	2,019.12
Sidewalk Plows	243.40
Truck Plows	204.61
Tires	1,104.82
Diesel Fuel, Oil & Gas	1,786.86
Cold Patch	1,011.44
Gravel and Hot Top	1,230.46
Pipe and Supplies	1,797.89
Miscellaneous	<u>111.95</u>
	\$16,386.26
Street Lighting	\$13,416.56

Library:	
Oil	1,639.44
Withholding & Social Security	590.46
Trustee Appropriation	<u>6,600.00</u>
	\$8,829.90
Public Welfare:	
Overseer and Expenses	300.00
Old Age	754.25
Town Poor	9,997.37
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	<u>1,779.00</u>
	\$12,830.62
Patriotic Purposes:	
Flags	169.35
Address System-Concert	<u>12.00</u>
	\$181.35
Recreation:	
Pool Attendant	150.00
Lifeguards	1,850.00
Electricity	40.50
Town Payroll	220.31
Supplies	114.71
Sewerline	<u>93.00</u>
	\$2,468.52
Planning Board:	
Central N.H. Reg. Planning Comm.	\$168.75
Highway Subsidy:	
Salt	5,430.72
Sand	1,368.50
Trucks	2,461.60
Tar	5,868.91
Cold Patch	193.14
Labor	<u>1,851.95</u>
	\$17,174.82
Highway Subsidy — Duncan Fund:	
Labor	1,234.15

Trucks	1,279.95
Gravel	419.30
Tar	3,043.86
Treasurer, State of N. H.	<u>1,108.25</u>
	\$7,085.51
Highway Subsidy — Special Fund:	
Labor	6,428.51
Blasting	800.00
Tar	<u>1,676.58</u>
Highway — New Equipment:	\$8,905.09
Chadwick-BaRoss, Inc. (Grader)	\$51,454.00
Water	\$23,226.55
Cemeteries:	
Town Payroll	114.70
Trucking	49.60
Mower	<u>47.21</u>
	\$211.51
Community Action Program	\$430.71
Damages and Legal Expenses:	
Town Attorney	\$2,891.79
Taxes Bought by Town	\$26,081.23
Employee's Retirement & Social Security:	
Social Security	5,803.41
Retirement	2,967.31
Blue Cross — Blue Shield	<u>914.08</u>
	\$9,384.80
Unclassified:	
Property Tax Overpayment	\$84.04
Payments to Trustee of Trust Funds:	
New Trusts	\$15,340.00

Tax Map:	
Contract	1,730.00
Maintenance	<u>400.00</u>
	\$2,130.00
Appraisal:	
Contract	2,841.70
Printing	<u>204.00</u>
	\$3,045.70
Webster Mills Road Bridge:	
New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$47,000.00
Fire Truck:	
New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$44,000.00
Tax Anticipation:	
Notes	260,000.00
Interest	<u>3,262.91</u>
	\$263,262.91
Long Term Notes:	
Notes	30,700.00
Interest	<u>6,707.62</u>
	\$37,407.62
Taxes Paid to County	\$30,555.00
Payments to School District	\$433,066.00

1978 FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres Burned
State	1,433	460
District	173	198
Town	3	1

Richard S. Chase
District Fire Chief

Frederick T. Hast
Forest Fire Warden

PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

This year saw a big change in the Fire Department when in July we joined the Capitol Area Compact. We are now centrally dispatched from Concord, where for many years our red phone was answered locally by Ruth Lank. Her years of devoted service were greatly appreciated, and this year she was honored and given a plaque at the departments annual Christmas party.

Total alarms answered for 1978 were 119 with 52 being Rescue calls.

The Rescue Squad has had many training sessions and meetings this year and some will be taking an EMT course in 1979. Our members are also working with the Barnstead Ambulance Crew. Fund raising events were held during the year with proceeds going toward a Rescue Vehicle which will be purchased in the near future. They are doing a most admirable job and are an asset to our department.

1978 saw the passing of two former Fire Department members. Edward Genest who served as Deputy Chief and Clarence Robie as Chief. These men gave many years of service to our town and will be greatly missed. The department wishes to thank the families of Ed and Clarence for making us the recipients of many donations and to all of you who gave so generously. The money will be used toward equipment for our new Fire Truck which will be delivered sometime during 1979.

Firefighting Classes sponsored by the Lakes Region Mutual Aid and the N.H. Fire Chiefs Association were attended by some of our members along with our training sessions and those with the Concord Compact.

Our goal is to become as an efficient department as possible. To help this, six portable radios were purchased from the proceeds of our two annual raffles. Reports from the fire scene are greatly improved by the use of these radios.

Firefighting can be a very rewarding as well as a very trying experience. The loss of life and property is not pleasant, however it happens. That's why we are here. If you would care to join us please get in contact with the department.

Please support your local Firefighters.

To report a Fire or Medical Emergency call 225-3355.

Respectfully submitted,
Frederick T. Hast, Chief

ROSTER OF PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

Frederick T. Hast, Chief

Stephen A. Davis, Deputy Chief

O. Herbert Emerson, Deputy Chief

Gerald Gilman, Treasurer

Company No. 3

Ernest Harper, Capt.

Steven Fife, 1st Lieut.

Roger Flanders, 2nd Lieut.

Donald Raney

Walter Rollins

Jacques Nerbonne

Floyd Flanders

John Robinson

Gary Gilman

William Plummer

Christopher Drew

John Saturley

Gerry Gilman

Paul Vien, Sub.

Company No. 4

Neal Tibbetts, Capt.

Edward Canfield, 1st Lieut.

Alan Flanders, 2nd Lieut.

Ronald Vien

Thomas Marston

Michael Drew

David Riel

Dennis Clark

Dana Flanders

David Sweet

Douglas Stevens

John Charron, Sub.

James Adams, Sub.

Tim Riel, Sub.

FIRE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT

1 — 500 Gallon Pumper (1946)

1 — 750 Gallon Pumper (1964)

1 — 1200 Gallon Tank Truck (1968)

1 — Forest Fire Truck (1949)

1 — 100 Ft. Aerial Ladder (1948)

(All Radio Equipped)

1 — 14 Ft. Rescue Boat and Trailer

8 — Scott Air Packs

1 — Resuscitator

1 — 1000 Watt

Lighting System

1 — Smoke Ejector

1 — Rescue Saw

1 — Fold-A-Tank

1 — Hose Washer

1 — Hose Drying Hoist
and Rack

REPORT OF DISTRICT FOREST FIRE CHIEF AND YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

For more than 80 years, a cooperative effort between the State of New Hampshire and local forest fire authorities has created a forest fire prevention and suppression program that is recognized as superior throughout the United States.

Since the first forest fire laws were written in 1895, the state and local community governments have worked together to prevent and combat forest fires.

Today, 249 forest fire wardens and more than 1,000 deputy wardens are appointed every three years by the State Forester to work with the members of the State Forest Fire staff in this effort. State funds are used to pay one half the cost of forest fire suppression costs incurred by local forest fire organizations, within pay rates established by the Governor and Council. State funds matched by local funds are used to purchase hand tools to suppress forest fires, to train local forest fire crews and in forest fire prevention work.

All outside burning, when the ground is not covered with snow, is permitted only after obtaining a written fire permit from your local Forest Fire Warden. Penalty for burning without a permit when one is required is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine up to \$1,000 or a jail term of up to one year or both.

REMEMBER, ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!

THE REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION

The Dr. Forrest B. Argue Memorial Swimming Pool was open during the summer of 1978 for ten weeks. John Flynn Jr. and Linda Simoneau gave instruction and were life guards with Lorinda Flynn as ticket attender.

The Bath houses were painted inside and new doors were installed and a partition was put up in the boys house; a new gate was also installed. All the money for the upkeep of the pool and buildings was raised by the Citizen of the Year Dance.

Free swimming lessons were offered to beginners; advanced beginners; intermediate and swimmers. A Junior Life saving course was given by John Flynn Jr. The season ended with the Annual Pool Day with games, contests and a watermelon game. Certificates were given out. Gary Chagnon and Jenny Dunne were Mr. and Miss Pool for 1978. A float decorated by John, Linda and the children of the pool was entered into the Old Home Day Parade.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The sewer project has been in process for a long time.

March 9, 1965 Town Meeting; \$11,200 was voted to pay the cost of an engineering study and report on a sewage disposal system for the town.

March 12, 1968 Town Meeting; \$65,000 was voted to pay the cost of construction plans and survey necessary for the sewage disposal plant recommended in the finished preliminary plan and to employ competent engineers to make these plans.

March 1974 Town Meeting; \$75,000 was voted to allow final plan modification for separation of storm and sewage systems for the treatment of sewage alone. This modification, allowed by agencies involved, reduced the scope of the proposed treatment center greatly and of course the final construction cost is much lower than originally projected.

March 4, 1975 Town Meeting; it was voted to defer and adjourn consideration until April 8, 1975 on the sewage disposal system bond issue of \$1,249,000.

April 8, 1975; the sewage disposal system bond issue of \$1,249,000 was voted. The State and Federal Government pay 95% of the construction costs and Pittsfield pays 5%.

Much credit must be given to Gordon Weldon who has been with the project from the start and is our managing agent for the project. The project is about 94% completed with the Treatment Plant in full operation presently.

Our new incinerator has given us a few operational and financial headaches with which our committee of the four towns has struggled. A new compactor has been installed to help take care of the overload, especially the cans and bottles. The capital investment and the cost of operation are rather staggering but that apparently comes with progress.

Vaughn Siel, our former Police Chief, resigned after faithfully serving the town for thirteen years. His policy was always to try to stop crime before it happened. We wish him success in his new position. James F. Blake, Sr., former Deputy Chief, was promoted to Chief of Police. David B. Greenwood, Sr., former Police Chief of Loudon, was hired as Deputy Chief of Police of Pittsfield.

The duties of the selectmen are becoming more complex and time consuming. Many towns are finding the need for a

specially trained individual to run or help run the town government. Pittsfield has had a committee studying this problem and as a result we have an article in the Warrant asking for an Administrative Assistant.

Lester S. Emerson

Chairman Board of Selectmen

PITTSFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

There were 4,696 telephone calls to the Police Department resulting in 2,073 incident reports being filed. There were 123 court cases processed resulting in \$1,506.00 in fines and an additional \$498.00 pending appeal.

Activity by the Department included the following: Accidents—77, Arson—2, Assault—12, Bomb Threat—1, Burglary—24, Child Abuse—1, Ciminal Mischief—43, Criminal Threatening—3, Criminal Tresspass—15, Disobeying a Police Officer—2, Disorderly Conduct—31, Domestic Disturbance—67, Drunk/Drinking in Public—13, Drug Offenses—8, Emergency Diagnostic Committal—1, Felonious Sexual Assault—1, Harrassment by Telephone—16, Issuing Bad Checks—8, Juvenile Complaints—76, Larceny of Property—14, Lost or Stolen Property—32, Missing/Runway Persons—37, Neighborhood Disturbance/Noise Complaint—57, Pervert—1, Resisting Arrest—7, Suspicious Person/-Vehicle—49, Suicide—1, Suicide Attempt—4, Dog and Other Animal Complaints—198, Driving While Under the Influence—8, Reckless Operation—9, Moving Violations—89, Warning - DE/Operation—153, Assisted Motorist—91, Parking Violations—15, Parking Warnings—24, Stolen Vehicles—8, Recovered Stolen Vehicles—11, Snowmobile/--Trailbike Incidents—12.

**TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
PITTSFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Report of E.P. Sanderson Trust Fund**

Invested by and managed by the Amoskeag National Bank and Trust Co. under direction of and with approval of Trustees of Trust Funds, Pittsfield, N. H. in accordance with the will of E.P. Sanderson.

Financial Report for the Year 1978

Principal

Initial payment 7/14/72	\$500,000.00
Additional payment 12/26/72	100,000.00
Additional payment 11/28/73	70,000.00
Additional payment 2/26/74	14,000.00
Additional payment 2/26/75	627.37
Gains realized from sales to date	22,442.80
Lossed from sales to date	<u>-41,885.11</u>

Book Value	\$665,185.06
Market Value	\$579,153.28

Income

Balance 1977	\$20,794.68
Dividends and Interest 1978	<u>43,497.83</u>

Total Income	\$64,292.51
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Payments

Pittsfield School District	\$30,000.00
Concord Hospital Donation 1978	1,392.00
Pittsfield Area Arts Council	1,000.00
Compensation Amoskeag Trust Co.	<u>2,450.92</u>

Total Payments	\$34,842.92
Balance 11/1/78	\$29,449.59

Welfare Account

Balance 11/1/77	\$490.00
Payments 1978	none
Interest 1978	<u>27.36</u>

Balance 11/1/78	\$517.36
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Trustees of Trust Funds	John H. Perkins
Ogden H. Boyd, Sr.	George E. Holloway, Jr.

Report of the Trust Funds of the

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND List first those trusts invested in a common trust fund	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED
			Whether bank deposits Stocks, bonds, etc. (If common trust so state)
1933	Butler, Chas. & Mary	Carpenter Lib. Books	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1934	Carpenter, Georgia	Carpenter Lib.	Mer. S.B. 7.5%
1934	Carpenter, Josiah	Carpenter Lib.	Mer. S.B. 7.5%
1934	Foote, Lizzie J.	Carpenter Lib. Books	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1937	Lane, Ella	Pittsfield School Dist.	Mer. S.B. 7.5%
1914	Emerson, Frances & Berry, William	Teachers & Pupils P.H.S.	N.H.S.B. 6.75%
1948	Joy, James	Pitts. H.S.	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1945	Kent-Moody	Students P.H.S.	N.H.S.B. 6.75%
1948	Merrill, Thomas D.	P.H.S.	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1948	French, Francis	P.H.S.	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1968	Nursing Scholarship Fd.	Students	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1970	Dist. Nursing Fund Grace Berry Fund & McQuesten Fund	P.H.S.	
1949	Green, Frank P.	Band Stand	N.H.S.B. 5.25%
1948	Pittsfield Academy Fund	P.H.S.	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1950	Bartlett, Capt. Asa	Civil War Mon. Graves of C.W.	Amoskeag S.B. 7.5%
1961	Hook, Margaret	Floral Pk. Cem.	N.H.S.B. 7.6%
1972	Sanderson, E.P. Fund	Education, Culture Health & Welfare	Trust Div. Amoskeag Nat. Bank
1973	Mt. Calvary Trust	Mt. Calvary Cemetery	N.H.S.B. 7.5%
1976	Argue, F.B. Fund	Medical Scholarship Fund	N.H.S.B. 7.5%
1978	Quaker Cemetery Fund	Upkeep & Maint. Quaker Cemetery	Pr. 8% N.H.S.B. Int. 5¼%
			Total Special Funds
			Total Cemetery Funds
			TOTALS

Town of Pittsfield on December 31, 1978

Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Gains or Losses on Sale of Securities	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	INCOME DURING YEAR Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1,000.00			1,000.00		79.68	79.68	
10,000.00			10,000.00		775.42	775.42	
10,000.00			10,000.00		775.42	775.42	
3,100.00			3,100.00		247.02	247.02	
25,000.00			25,000.00		2,154.38	2,154.38	
944.09			944.09		67.00	67.00	
2,430.00			2,430.00	10.00	195.29	195.29	10.00
500.00			500.00	167.42	81.69	55.00	194.11
1,147.40			1,147.40	10.00	92.45	92.45	10.00
1,462.84			1,462.84	10.00	117.73	117.73	10.00
6,505.47			6,505.47	1,943.12	1,173.75	312.00	2,804.87
100.00			100.00	19.48	6.54		26.02
4,219.18			4,219.18	10.00	338.74	338.74	10.00
1,150.00			1,150.00	135.10	97.29	160.00	72.39
17,399.77			17,399.77	186.39	1,406.05	1,419.75	172.69
665,185.06			665,185.06	20,794.68	43,497.83	34,842.92	29,449.59
2,254.85	92.64		2,347.49	254.85	92.63		347.48
2,000.00			2,000.00	- 252.11	171.19		423.30
	5,000.00		5,000.00		203.36		203.36
754,398.66	5,092.64		759,491.30	23,793.15	51,573.46	41,632.80	33,733.81
99,775.39	10,590.00		110,365.39	31,339.18	9,770.12	6,084.47	35,024.83
854,174.05	15,682.64		869,856.69	55,132.33	61,343.58	47,717.27	68,758.64

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 3, 1979 Ogden H. Boyd, Sr. John H. Perkins
George E. Holloway, Jr. Trustees

**PITTSFIELD MUNICIPAL COURT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1978**

Total Receipts Criminal Court		\$11,431.80
Bank Balance January 1, 1978		<u>465.12</u>
		\$11,896.92
Due Town of Pittsfield	4,515.00	
Expenses		
Printing	97.56	
Supplies	199.12	
Postage	50.50	
Dues & Bond	78.00	
Appointed Council	176.00	
Conference & Travel	152.60	
Witness Fees	<u>75.00</u>	
	828.78	766.99
Due Town of Pittsfield		<u>3,748.01</u>
Paid Town of Pittsfield		4,515.00
Paid Division of Motor Vehicles		5,388.00
Paid Police Standards & Training		785.50
Penalty assessment		
Damage & Restitution Payments		438.30
Payments held in escrow		<u>305.00</u>
		11,431.80
Bank Balance January 1, 1979		<u>910.52</u>
		12,341.32
Bail & Cash on hand		<u>444.40</u>
		11,896.92
Total Criminal Complaints		505
Motor Vehicle	374	
Driving While Intoxicated	16	
Miscellaneous Misdemeanors	75	
Drug Related Cases	6	

Town Ordinance Offenses	17	
Felonies, Class A and B	4	
Landlord & Tenant	2	
Juvenile	11	
Small Claims Court (Cases Entered)		121
Total Receipts		1,065.87
Bank Balance January 1, 1978		<u>389.56</u>
		\$1,455.43
Expenses:		
Postage	195.10	
Printing	80.94	
Supplies	<u>6.38</u>	
		282.42
Fees due Town of Pittsfield	335.50	
Paid Town of Pittsfield		53.08
Payments & Collections		730.37
		\$1,065.87
Payment to Town of Pittsfield on Copy machine	150.00	
Payment on Typewriter	35.00	
Supplies	<u>24.95</u>	
		209.95
Payment to Town of Pittsfield		150.00
Bank Charges, Stamps, etc.	13.95	13.95
Bank Balance January 1, 1979	<u>15.66</u>	<u>15.66</u>
		\$1,455.43

Respectfully Submitted,
Kenard F. Ayles, Clerk

CARPENTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT — 1978

This year, circulation figures showed a slight increase over 1977 — an encouraging sign.

The Librarian continued serving on the Right-to-Read Advisory Council and assisted in a Poster Contest to stimulate reading in the elementary grades. After she had helped judge entries she was pleased to have several of the winners on display in the Library. Among other notable displays were a Civil War diorama by Dean Landes, papier-mache Halloween facemasks, fashioned by the 4th grades and a magnificent dollhouse, built and furnished by the Junior Girl Scouts.

Both 2nd and 3rd grade classes attended monthly film programs and the 3rd grades continued their weekly Library visits. 4th graders attended a Reference workshop and Mrs. Van Horn was named Celebrity-of-the-Month by the Grammer School!

Meetings were attended in New Hampton, Somersworth and Franklin, the latter to discuss the wide-reaching impact of the Martin Report: "A Chance for Every New Hampshire — A Revitalized Library Development Program." Changes in future Library service may well affect Pittsfield as well as every other community, since the use of Bookmobiles and State wide Library Cards will be re-evaluated in the light of this report. The findings of the N.H. Conference on Library and Information Services, held in September — as a prelude to the White House Conference — may also bring about changes in these and other areas of Library service.

Susan Paige Starkey was Acting Librarian during Mrs. Van Horn's absence in the summer and she was assisted by Dorothy Kelley. Mrs. Starkey also conducted the Summer Book Sale.

An investment was made in a wide selection of paperback books under the Reading Enrichment Company's PEP Program (Pleasing Every Patron) in the hopes of appealing to a wider number of teenage readers. Mrs. Van Horn gave several Book Talks to town organizations and supplied films from the State Library for others.

Carpenter Library was once again accredited by the State and Mrs. Van Horn completed a course, "Reading and Evaluating Children's Literature" held at Plymouth State College.

The copying service continues to be widely used by the people in town and the free paperback exchange also seems to fill a definite need.

The great American educator Horace Mann wrote, "Children learn to read by being in the presence of books." How true! Start bringing your children to the Library when they are very young — it could develop into a lifelong habit.

CIRCULATION REPORT

Adult Books	4697
Juvenile Books	4129
Bookmobile: Adult	1819
Juvenile	833
Periodicals: Adult	834
Juvenile	273
Films	26
New Books: Adult	172
Juvenile	86
Paperbacks (PEP Program)	150
New Registrations: Adult	129
Juvenile	101

Respectfully submitted,	Sybil G. Pease
Ralph C. Van Horn	Agnes I. Ring

FINANCIAL REPORT
Carpenter Memorial Library
General Fund 1978-1979

Receipts

Balance January 1, 1978	\$1,375.88
Received from the Town	6,600.00
From all other sources	111.19

\$8,087.07

Expenditures

Salaries	\$4,127.90
Utilities: Fuel	1,639.44

Lights		349.11
Phone		201.70
Repairs		68.50
Social Security & withholding	590.46	
Operating	<u>477.03</u>	

		7,454.14
Balance January 1, 1979		632.93

Carpenter Trust Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		1,244.92
Received from Trustees	<u>1,550.84</u>	
		<u>1,550.84</u>

2,795.76

Expenditures

Books & Supplies	1,538.71	
		<u>1,538.71</u>

Balance January 1, 1979		1,257.05
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Lizzie Foote Trust Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		\$653.26
Received from Trustees		<u>247.02</u>

900.28

Expenditures

Books		<u>115.25</u>
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Balance January 1, 1979		785.03
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Summary: Checking Account

General Fund		632.93
Carpenter Fund		1,257.05
Lizzie Foote Fund		<u>785.03</u>

Balance January 1, 1979		\$2,675.01
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Butler Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		\$124.07
Received from Trustees	79.68	
Bank Interest	<u>6.52</u>	

86.20

Balance January 1, 1979		\$210.27
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Gertrude and Eralsey Ferguson Trust Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		\$343.96
Dividends 1977-1978	396.76	
Bank Interest	<u>18.59</u>	

415.35

759.31

Expenditures

Books	574.42	
Balance January 1, 1979		184.89

Jenkins Memorial Room Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		386.78
Bank Interest	<u>20.86</u>	

Balance January 1, 1979		407.64
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D.A.R. Trust Fund

Balance January 1, 1978		303.15
Bank Interest	<u>16.58</u>	

319.73

Expenditures

History Awards Pittsfield High School	<u>20.00</u>	
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Balance January 1, 1979		\$299.73
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Trustees Carpenter Memorial Library
Sybil G. Pease, Treasurer

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1978**

	Debit	
	Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:	
	1977	1975
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes — March 15, 1978		
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	26,081.23	4,377.75
Interest Collected After Sale	441.19	301.82
Redemption Costs		689.47
Total Debits	26,522.42	5,067.22

	Credit	
	Remittances to Treasurer During Year:	
Redemptions	13,559.96	4,279.75
Interest & Costs After Sale	441.19	689.47
Abatements During Year	174.94	
Deeded to Town During Year	119.49	98.00
Unredeemed Taxes — December 31, 1978	12,226.84	5,696.05
Total Credits	26,522.42	5,067.22

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1978, on account of the tax levy of Pittsfield, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Henry F. Gray, Tax Collector

OFFICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

Levy of 1978	Debit	Credit	Unpaid
Yield Taxes only	1,158.66		
Paid to Treasurer 3/8/78		434.05	
Unpaid as of 3/15/78			724.61
Levy of 1977			
Property Taxes as of 12/31/77	497,467.63		
Resident Taxes as of 12/31/77	2,760.00		
Resident Taxes added as of 12/31/77	160.00		
Yield Taxes as of 12/31/77	332.24		
Interest as of 12/31/77	105.00		
Penalties on Res. Taxes as of 12/31/77	128.00		
Paid to Treasurer to 3/15/78			
Property Taxes		389,132.65	
Resident Taxes		1,280.00	
Yield Taxes		NONE	
Interest		105.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes		128.00	
Uncollected as of 3/15/78			
Property Taxes			105,582.54
Resident Taxes			1,640.00
Yield Taxes			332.24
Abatements-Property			2,752.44
	<u>500,752.87</u>	<u>390,645.65</u>	<u>110,307.22</u>
Levy of 1976			
Property Taxes as of 12/31/77	521.32		
Resident Taxes as of 12/31/77	70.00		
Penalties on Res. Taxes as of 12/31/77	2.00		
Paid to Treasurer to 3/15/78			
Property Taxes		NONE	
Resident Taxes		20.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes		2.00	
Uncollected as of 3/15/78			
Property Taxes			521.32
Resident Taxes			50.00
	<u>593.32</u>	<u>22.00</u>	<u>571.32</u>

Levy of 1975

Resident Taxes as of 12/31/77	10.00		
Penalties on Res. Taxes as of 12/31/77	1.00		
Paid to Treasurer to 3/15/78			
Resident Taxes		10.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes		1.00	
Uncollected as of 3/15/78			NONE
	11.00	11.00	

TAX SALES ACCOUNT

Balance as of	1976	1975	1974
Dec. 31, 1977	11,887.65	5,108.89	NONE
Interest Collected	191.20	58.55	
	12,078.85	5,167.44	
Remitted to Treasurer			
to 3/15/78 Taxes	2,490.40	731.14	
Interest	191.20	58.55	
Unpaid 3/15/78	9,397.25	4,377.75	NONE
	12,078.85	5,167.44	

“I hereby certify that the lists shown are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.”

William S. Boyd

Tax Collector to 3/15/78

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
Property, Resident and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1978

Debit

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$438,542.29	
Resident Taxes	15,790.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	174.70	
Total Warrants		\$454,506.99
Yield Taxes		6,692.20

Added Taxes:		
Inventory Penalties	\$1,420.00	
Property Taxes	471.00	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,390.00</u>	
		\$3,281.00
Land Use Change Taxes		none
Overpayments During Year:		
a/c Property Taxes	\$none	
a/c Resident Taxes	none	
Interest Collected on Delinquent		
Property Taxes		57.98
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		<u>31.00</u>
Total Debits		\$464,569.17

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Inventory Penalties	530.00	
Property Taxes	351,100.92	
Resident Taxes	13,590.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	174.70	
Yield Taxes	4,784.08	
Land Use Change Taxes	none	
Interest Collected	57.98	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>31.00</u>	
		\$370,268.68
Discounts allowed	none	
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	248.31	
Resident Taxes	none	
Yield Taxes	none	
Inventory Penalties	<u>100.00</u>	
		348.31
Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1978:		
(As per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	87,664.06	
Resident Taxes	3,590.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>1,908.12</u>	

Inventory Penalties	790.00
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	\$ 93,952.18
Total Credits	464,569.17

**Levy of 1977
Debit**

Uncollected Taxes — As of March 15, 1978:

Property Taxes	\$105,527.94
Resident Taxes	1,640.00
Yield Taxes	332.24

\$107,500.18

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	54.60
Resident Taxes	130.00

184.60

Land Use Change Taxes	none
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Overpayments:

a/c Property Taxes	\$none
a/c Resident Taxes	none

Interest Collected on Delinquent

Property Taxes	1,574.65
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Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	65.00
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Total Debits	\$109,324.43
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Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
Ended December 31, 1978:

Property Taxes	\$100,111.01
Resident Taxes	650.00
Yield Taxes	232.24
Land Use Change Taxes	none
Interest Collected During Year	1,574.65
Penalties on Resident Taxes	65.00

\$102,632.90

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$5,471.53
Resident Taxes	200.00
Yield Taxes	<u>none</u>

\$5,671.53

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1978

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	
Resident Taxes	920.00
Yield Taxes	<u>100.00</u>

1,020.00

Total Credits

\$109,324.43

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Henry F. Gray
Tax Collector

Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1976

Debit

Uncollected Taxes — As of March 15, 1978:

Property Taxes	\$521.32
Resident Taxes	none
Yield Taxes	<u>126.04</u>

647.36

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	none
Resident Taxes	<u>none</u>

Land Use Change Taxes none

Overpayments:

a/c Property Taxes	\$none
a/c Resident Taxes	<u>none</u>

Interest Collected on Delinquent

Property Taxes	none
Yield	17.28

Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes none

Total Debits

\$664.64

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
Ended December 31, 1978:

Property Taxes	none
Resident Taxes	none
Yield Taxes	126.04
Land Use Change Taxes	none
Interest Collected During Year	none
Penalties on Resident Taxes	none
Yield Interest	17.28

\$143.32

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	none
Resident Taxes	none
Yield Taxes	none

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1978:

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$521.32
Resident Taxes	none

Total Credits

\$664.64

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Henry F. Gray

Tax Collector

TOWN AUDITORS' REPORT

We hereby certify we have examined the accounts and books of the Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trust Funds, Selectmen, Library Trustees, Overseer of Public Welfare, Municipal Court, and the Books of the Pollution Abatement Project, and find them correct and properly vouched and cast, with the exception of minor clerical errors.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert K. Gates

Gerald I. Gilman

Louis J. Houle, III

Auditors, Town of Pittsfield

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

School District

of the town of

PITTSFIELD

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**ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION
OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Moderator

Henry Stapleton

Clerk

Roberta Maxfield

School Board

Mrs. Patricia Fraser, Chairperson

Term Expires 1979

Mr. Elliott Towle, Vice-Chairperson

Term Expires 1979

Mrs. Dolores Francis

Term Expires 1980

Mr. John Barto

Term Expires 1980

Mr. John Genest

Term Expires 1981

Treasurer

Elaine Emerson

Auditors

Arnold L. Wells

Frances Marston

Donald Bergeron

Census Taker

Roberta Maxfield

School Nurse

Helen Sweeny, R.N.

Superintendent of Schools

Damon A. Russell

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

Elton S. Knowles

Business Administrator

Richard J. Magnifico

Secretary

Frances E. Spaulding

Bookkeeper

Helen M. Tibbetts

Secretary

Sandra Bouchie

Accounts

Janice M. Curtis

Clerk-Bookkeeper

Grace S. Douglas

**TENTATIVE WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Pittsfield qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the thirteenth day of March, 1979, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose two members of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To choose three Auditors for the ensuing year.

**TENTATIVE WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Pittsfield qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Greenleaf Auditorium in said District on the twenty second day of March 1979, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

2. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for salaries of school district officers and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District.

4. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and receive in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereinafter be forth coming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire, or any federal or state agency.

5. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

PITTSFIELD SCHOOL BUDGET

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approved Budget 1978-78	Recommended 1979-80
Administration		
Salaries	1,605.00	1,605.00
Contracted Services	300.00	650.00
Instruction		
Salaries	503,660.00	564,436.00
Textbooks	4,087.00	4,552.00
Library & Audiovisual Materials	5,000.00	6,200.00
Teaching Supplies	24,795.00	29,944.00
Contracted Services	43,995.00	58,620.00
Other Expenses	5,885.00	7,840.00
Attendance Services	75.00	75.00
Health Services	10,479.00	11,269.00
Pupil Transportation	29,685.00	33,073.00
Operation of Plant		
Salaries	27,184.00	31,048.00
Supplies	8,500.00	9,000.00
Contracted Services	1,140.00	1,650.00
Heat	18,750.00	22,570.00
Utilites	18,750.00	24,000.00
Maintenance of Plant	93,180.00	39,470.00
Fixed Charges		
Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A.	43,326.00	60,868.00
Insurance	8,900.00	9,478.00
School Lunch & Spec. Milk Program	28,500.00	37,000.00
Student-Body Activities	20,917.00	21,860.00
Community Activities	5,700.00	6,000.00
Capital Outlay		
Equipment	3,393.00	4,320.00
Debt Service		
Principal of Debt	18,000.00	15,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,068.00	1,550.00
Outgoing transfer accounts in state		
Tuition	8,120.00	11,835.00
Transportation	8,119.00	12,835.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	15,880.00	21,889.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	959,993.00	1,048,637.00

REVENUE & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES	Approved Revenues 1978-79	Budget Committee 1979-80
UNENCUMBERED BALANCE	4,942.00	
Revenue from State Sources:		
Sweepstakes	14,672.00	10,000.00
Foundation Aid	281,038.00	168,600.00
School Building Aid	5,304.00	5,300.00
Driver Education	2,400.00	2,400.00
Foster Children Aid	800.00	800.00
Revenue from Federal Sources		
Sch. Lunch & Special Milk Program	28,500.00	37,000.00
PL89-10 (ESEA)	40,000.00	45,000.00
PL94-142		12,000.00
Local Revenue Except Taxes:		
Tuition	136,800.00	195,960.00
Trust Fund Income	37,500.00	37,500.00
Other Revenue From Local Sources	1,800.00	1,800.00
TOTAL SCHOOL REVENUES and CREDITS	553,756.00	516,360.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	406,237.00	532,277.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	959,993.00	1,048,637.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and citizens of the school district, I respectfully submit my thirteenth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

The State Legislature last year started to examine the role of supervisory unions and several specific pieces of legislation were introduced relative to this subject. The most radical proposal would have eliminated supervisory unions, school districts, school boards, and superintendents and create a single, state-wide school district.

Bills of this nature were referred to interim study, however, similar proposals are being introduced in the 1979 Legislative Session. A special committee was established by the New Hampshire School Administrators Association which includes representatives from the House and Senate, school board members from four supervisory unions, the State Department of Education and professional administrators from all regions of the state.

Background

Looking back in history, in the mid 1800's there were 2343 school districts in New Hampshire governed by citizen commissions. Complaints grew concerning the number of small districts which led an "infinite divisibility" of districts. A change took place in 1885 back to the township system, deducing the number to 267 school districts by the year 1889. School districts at this time relied upon a superintending school committee composed of selected layment. The first fulltime superintendent was hired in 1855 by Manchester, soon to be followed by other largely populated areas in the state. Authority was not forthcoming until 1899 which enabled two or more towns to join together in the employment of a professional superintendent. The legislature reacted strongly to a report on "Defects in the System of Public Schools in New Hampshire" and adopted legislation in 1919 granting authority to the state board of education to set qualifications, certification and duties for superintendents, and further, placed each district within a supervisory union.

Little change has taken place in the organization design of supervisory unions since the law of 1919. The scope of responsibilities have changed considerably over the last sixty years.

Supervisory Union Services

The services provided by the superintendent of schools back in 1919 were identified as:

1. Direct the work of all teachers and janitors.
2. Nominate all teachers.
3. Select and purchase textbooks, apparatus and supplies.
4. Keep records and make reports on his doings, condition of the schools, and the financial standings of the districts.
5. Remove immoral or incompetent employees.
6. Secure fuel and other supplies.
7. Admit pupils according to their capacity and attainments.

The present supervisory union structure was formed so that local school districts could join together to provide themselves with necessary administrative services they could not furnish efficiently and economically alone. Services now provided through the Superintendent's Office include:

1. Budget preparation and control.
2. Central purchasing.
3. Building programs and maintenance.
4. State and Federal record keeping reporting.
5. Recruitment and employment of all staff.
6. Public relations, annual reports.
7. Supervision and evaluation of all staff.
8. Curriculum development and coordination of school programs.
9. School health services.
10. School lunch programs.
11. Assessment and placement of handicapped children.
12. Payrolls.
13. Negotiations of teachers and support staff master agreements.
14. Personnel management.
15. Inservice programs.
16. Staff development.
17. Regulatory and administrative functions established by the State Department of Education.
18. Transportation planning and supervision.
19. Professional assistance to each school board.
20. Educational leadership.

These services can not be provided by one person and the legislature recognized this problem. The state board was

authorized to establish not only the position of the superintendent, but also one or more assistant superintendents when the interests of the schools required it. Since 1919, the state board also has been given the power to certify professional business officials and teacher consultants for supervisory unions.

Supervisory Union #49

The supervisory union to which your school district has been assigned is known as the Governor Wentworth Supervisory Union #49. The office is located in Wolfboro, which is approximately twenty-seven miles north of Pittsfield, twenty miles south of Moultonboro and twenty-two miles west of Effingham. There are four school districts assigned to this supervisory union: Alton, Barnstead, Pittsfield, and the Governor Wentworth Regional School District consisting of Brookfield, Effingham, Moultonboro, New Durham, Ossipee, Tuftonboro and Wolfboro. Each school board meets at least once a month, with several boards meeting twice, or even more often during negotiation, budget preparation, or special studies, such as building expansion, curriculum revisions, accountability, etc.

This supervisory union ranks second from the top as to the amount of equalized evaluation per pupil while it ranks seventeen out of fifty as to the number of students. The combined districts employ 205 full time classroom teachers with a near equal number of support staff (custodians, cafeteria workers, secretaries, teacher aides, bus drivers). The central office is responsible for approximately \$6,500,00 appropriated by the four school districts for the support of schools. There is also one building construction project being administered with a potential of over ten million dollars of construction next year.

The educational leadership, program management and fiscal controls are provided by three professional staff members — Superintendent of Schools, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, and Business Administrator. The professional staff is supported by a payroll bookkeeper, accounts bookkeeper, secretary, receptionist, and book-keeper/clerk. The total cost for the management system is approximately two percent of the total amount appropriated for the support of the schools in the supervisory union.

Summary of Supervisory Union Activities

Aside from the regular service provided through the supervisory union central office, there were, and still are, special activities undertaken this year. A few of these will be highlighted.

All Districts:

- State Accountability Model
- Education of the Handicapped
- Staff Development

Alton School District:

- Reorganization of Special Education Program
- Plans for New Shower/Locker Rooms
- Establishment of Curriculum Committees
- Hearings on Special Needs Placement

Barnstead School District:

- Developing Plans for Elementary School Addition
- Special School District Meeting
- Processing of Bond Issue
- Implementation of Speech Therapy

Pittsfield School District:

- Major renovations
- Revision of School Board Policies
- Separation of Elementary and Secondary Administration
- Improved Special Education Services

Governor Wentworth Regional School District

- Implementation of a Program Planning Model
- Withdrawal Feasibility Study
- Special School District Meeting
- Junior High Facility Needs Study
- Vocational Education Facility Need
- Implementation of Administrative Reorganization
- Expansion of Programs for the Handicapped
- Negotiation of Support Staff Master Agreement
- Development of Program Budgeting Process
- Administration of a Comprehensive Program

Summary

Schools like other public agencies and business corporations, must have a management system. The New Hampshire school management system is the supervisory union. School Board members who are elected by the voters of their individual school district comprise the policy making

supervisory union school board. The Superintendent serves as the executive head of the public schools and is responsible for planning and administering their affairs subject to statutory requirements, the regulations of the State Board of Education, and the policies of the local districts. In performance of these duties, the Superintendent is directly responsible to the State Board of Education through its Commissioner, and the boards of the Supervisory Union.

It has been a busy, productive, and rewarding year. My sincere appreciation to members of the school boards, assistance and cooperation of professional colleagues, and the students and citizens who have contributed to the improvement of the education provided for your youth.

Respectfully submitted,
Damon A. Russell
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Pittsfield School District, I respectfully submit my sixth annual report as Assistant Superintendent of Schools.

I have selected the following areas to report on: (1) Staffing; (2) Accountability; and (3) Education of the Handicapped.

Staffing

Fourteen positions were filled for the 1979-80 school year including the High School Principalship and Title I Director. This represents a turnover rate of nearly one out of three professional staff members and is obviously higher than what we would desire. We are pleased with the efforts and contribution of the new staff members and hope to retain them in the Pittsfield District.

Accountability

The New Hampshire State Board of Education authorized the Commissioner of Education to develop and implement Accountability Plans throughout the school districts of the state. This plan has been developed to assist local school districts develop systematic planning and the evaluation procedures which result in the formulation of formal management plans for improvement by June, 1981.

In order to formulate the management plan, each school district needs to : (1) identify expected student outcomes (2) assess student performance against the expected outcomes (3) report the result of the assessment (4) interpret the results, and, (5) design a local improvement plan.

The Pittsfield administration and instructional staff are working with the other districts of Supervisory Union #49 to identify the expected student outcomes and assessment procedures in the subject areas of English language arts, mathematics, United States history and government, and New Hampshire history and government.

This project will require considerable effort on the part of the professional staff over the next two years. We are optimistic that this effort will be rewarded with a process that will better enable the Pittsfield School Board to make decisions about program improvements and allocation its available resources.

Education of the Handicapped

On November 25, 1975, President Ford signed into law the Education for All Handicapped Children Act, P.L. 94-142. The basic provisions of the act are as follows:

(1) To insure that all handicapped children have available to them a free appropriate public education which includes special education and related services to meet their unique needs.

(2) To insure that the rights of handicapped children and their parents are protected.

Pittsfield has placed considerable emphasis on making improvements in its programs in order that the educational needs of handicapped students are being met. To do this, the following services have been added: speech therapy, learning disabilities, and diagnostic prescriptive services from the Spaulding Youth Center.

The School Board has, at times, been hard pressed to find the resources to make the necessary improvements. These efforts are beginning to pay off, however, as out of district costs are decreasing in direct ratio to the addition of new services to the school district. During the next few years, additional services will need to be provided, especially at the secondary school level. The School Board Members are to be commended for their support and understanding of these very complex issues.

It has been my pleasure to enjoy the support and cooperation of the Pittsfield School Board, Principals, Fortado and Knowlton, and the School Faculty.

Respectfully submitted,
Elton S. Knowles
Assistant Superintendent

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISING PRINCIPAL

To the Members of the School Board, the Superintendent of Schools, and the Citizens of Pittsfield, I respectfully submit my first annual report as Supervising Principal of the Pittsfield Schools.

The academic year began on September 6th with a total of 708 students enrolled. Enrollment in Grades 1 through 6 decreased to 289 while grades 7 through 12 increased to 419.

Ten teachers have joined our staff. They are Mrs. Judith Landry, Grade 1; Mrs. Donna Downie, Grade 5; Mr. Charles Downie, Grade 5; Miss Rebecca Hackman, Grade 6; Mrs. Jeanne Bishop, Business Education; Mr. Dwight Blake, Industrial Arts; Mr. Duncan Campbell, Science; Mrs. Ola Cross, English; Mrs. James Cunningham, Social Studies; Ms. Mary-Ellen Kimball, Speech Therapist and Ms. Mary Jennings, Learning Disabilities.

In September we began groundwork for the reaccreditation of the high school with the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. In preparation for the Visitation Committee from NEASC who will be visiting the high school in May of 1980, we have started the necessary self-study of our school, students, staff, administration, and curriculum. This process will serve to improve our efficiency and effectiveness.

Some welcomed renovations were completed in the school buildings with the use of Foundation Aid monies. In the high school new lighting fixtures, and lowered ceiling in four classrooms, new exterior doors, and window shades were installed. In the Grammar School this aid resulted in a new library, front doors, new shades, and lighting fixtures.

The addition of staff in Elementary Physical Education and Learning Disabilities indicates a more comprehensive

program available for the elementary students. Mr. Eric Knowlton, Elementary Principal reports that through the use of testing, evaluation, workshops and observations the staff continues to strive to meet the needs of the students by stressing the basics and improving each child's skills.

I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the Members of the School Board, Superintendent Russell, Members of the Faculty, Staff, and the people of Pittsfield for the warmth of their welcome and support in my first year as Principal.

Respectfully submitted
 Stephen M. Fortado, Principal

INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS Held by the Trustees of Trust Funds

Thomas D. Merrill	Pittsfield High School	92.00
Pittsfield Academy	Pittsfield High School	336.99
Frances French Fund	Pittsfield High School	117.09
James Joy Fund	Pittsfield High School	194.28
Emerson & Berry Fund	Pittsfield High School	66.91
Ella Lane Fund	Pittsfield High School	1,978.56
Sanderson Trust	Pittsfield High School	30,000.00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Pittsfield of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1978 and find them correct in all respects.

Arnold I . Wells
 Frances A. Marston
 Auditors

August 2, 1978

APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES

Total Appropriation	\$959,993.00
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Revenues and Credits

Unencumbered Balance	4,942.27
Sweepstakes Aid	13,887.21
Foundation Aid	281,037.65
School Building Aid	5,400.00
Driver Education Aid	2,400.00
Foster Children Aid	800.00
School Lunch	28,500.00
P.L. 89.10 (ESEA)	40,000.00
Tuition	136,800.00
Trust Fund Income	37,500.00
Other Local Sources	1,800.00

Total Revenue and Credits	\$553,067.13
District Assessment	406,925.87

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$959,993.00
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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year July 1, 1977 to June 30, 1978

Cash on Hand July 1, 1977	\$39,568.42
Received from Selectmen	413,066.00
Revenue from State Sources	174,317.89
Revenue from Federal Sources	76,786.21
Rec'd from Tuitions	120,223.50
Rec'd as income from Trust Funds	38,620.68
Received from all Other Sources	1,478.91

TOTAL RECEIPTS	824,493.19
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	864,061.61
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Less School Board Orders Paid	837,312.55
Balance on hand June 30, 1978	26,749.06
July 12, 1978	
Wayne W. Emerson	
District Treasurer	

INSTRUCTION
1978-1979

NAME	ASSIGNMENT		
Mr. Stephen M. Fortado	Principal	14	19,000.00
Mr. Eric L. Knowlton	Elementary Principal	9 1/2	15,200.00

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Ms. Debra Egan	Grade 2	3	8,150.00
Ms. Judith Landry	Grade 1	8	9,775.00
Ms. Esther Marsh	Grade 1	40	11,050.00
Ms. Bonnie Streeter	Grade 2	7	10,050.00

GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Ms. Nancy Arezzini	Grade 2	3	9,850.00
Mr. Glen DePine	Music	2	3,010.00
Ms. Beverly Drolet	Grade 4	24	11,325.00
Mr. Mark Jarvis	Special Education	5	8,950.00
Ms. Mary-Ellen Kimball	Speech Therapist	1	4,380.00
Mr. David Munroe	Grade 3	11	11,750.00
Ms. Nancy Steinberg	Grade 3	3	8,850.00
Ms. Sylvia Wallace	Grade 4	8	10,200.00
Ms. Mary Jennings	Learning Disability	1	7,300.00
Ms. Robin Talkowski	Remedial Reading	3	8,850.00

HIGH SCHOOL

Ms. Sherry Alie	Home Economics	7	9,350.00
Mr. James Beck	Art	6 1/2	11,000.00
Ms. Jeanne Bishop	Business	4	8,150.00
Mr. Dwight Blake	Vocational Education	1	8,150.00
Mr. Douglas Chamberlin	English	6	9,650.00
Ms. Ola Cross	English	8	9,775.00
Mr. James Cunningham	Social Studies	3	9,350.00
Mr. Gerald Davis	English	17	11,425.00
Mr. Charles Downie	Grades 5 & 6	14	11,750.00
Ms. Donna Downie	Grades 5 & 6	2	7,525.00
Mr. John Douglass	Guidance Director	12	12,870.00
Ms. Corrine Foreman	French	7	9,775.00
Mr. Richard Frazier	Math	8	9,775.00
Ms. Elaine Glidden	Business	8	10,200.00
Mr. Jonas Glidden	Social Studies	8	10,200.00
Ms. Rebecca Hackman	Grades 5 & 6	4	8,150.00
Mr. Carroll Higgins	Physical Education	12	11,750.00
Mr. Richard Horne	Mathematics	18	11,750.00
Ms. Joan Leonard	Special Education	2	7,750.00
Mr. John Lord	Science	6	10,200.00
Ms. Karen McDonough	Reading	3	8,450.00
Ms. Betsy Conner	Social Studies	2	7,525.00
Mr. Stephen Regan	Librarian	11	11,750.00
Mr. Mark Rickettson	Vocational Education	4	11,000.00
Mr. Lawrence Robbins	Grades 5 & 6	2	7,525.00

Mr. Hugh Sanborn	Industrial Arts	4	9,250.00
Ms. Joan Stollings	English	4	8,550.00
Mr. Michael Trojano	Music	3	8,150.00
Ms. Margot Walker	Mathematics	11	11,000.00
Mr. Mark Wallace	Science	4	9,250.00
Ms. Helen Sweeney	School Nurse	11	8,600.00
Mr. Duncan Campbell			8,450.00

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1978

General Fund

\$26,749.06

GRAND TOTAL OF ASSETS

\$26,749.06

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by District

Treasurer, State of NH-FICA

14,102.17

Treasurer, State of NH-Retirement

2,430.97

Simplex Time Recorder Co.

1,493.00

Chem-Safe

358.15

B & M Contractors, Inc.

252.00

Pittsfield Bottled Gas Co.

303.66

Public Service Co.

1,248.58

Dean Wilber's Inc.

507.95

Title I

1,110.31

GRAND TOTAL OF LIABILITES

\$30,185.92

Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)

4,942.27

GRAND TOTAL

\$26,749.06

PUPIL STATISTICS
Pupil Enrollment, September 1978

Memorial	Resident	Tuition	Total
Grade 1	42	1	43
Grade 2	<u>41</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>41</u>
	83	1	84
Grammar School			
Grade 2	22	0	22
Grade 3	41	0	41
Grade 4	<u>35</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>35</u>
	98	0	98
High School			
Grade 5	53	1	54
Grade 6	47	1	48
Grade 7	53	1	54
Grade 8	<u>41</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>42</u>
	194	4	198
Grade 9	61	34	95
Grade 10	55	25	80
Grade 11	38	30	68
Grade 12	<u>47</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>70</u>
	201	112	313
Total All Schools	576	117	693

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1977
and Ending June 30, 1978

RECEIPTS

Revenue from Local Sources		
Current Appropriation	<u>413,066.00</u>	
TOTAL		413,066.00
Other Revenue from Local Sources		
Earning from permanent Funds		
And Endowments	<u>38,620.68</u>	
TOTAL		38,620.68
Revenue from State Sources		
Foundation Aid	155,145.83	
School Building Aid	5,400.00	
Area Vocational School Aid	183.04	
Driver Education Aid	2,423.50	
Sweepstakes	10,041.53	
School Lunch (State Funds Only)	<u>1,393.35</u>	
TOTAL		174,587.25
Revenue from Federal Sources		
Vocational Education	420.00	
School Lunch and Special Milk	32,057.56	
Title I, ESEA	40,768.09	
Title IV	<u>2,739.91</u>	
TOTAL		75,985.56
Amounts Received From Other School Districts in State		
and Amounts Received from Capital Reserve Funds		
Elementary Tuition	6,036.00	
High School Tuition	<u>114,187.50</u>	
TOTAL		<u>120,223.50</u>

Total Net Receipts from all Sources	822,482.99
Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year July 1, 1977	
General Fund	<u>39,568.42</u>
TOTAL	<u>39,568.42</u>
 GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS	 \$862,051.41

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the citizens of Pittsfield, I respectfully submit the annual Health Report for the school year 1977-78.

The continued support of parents and teachers plus the generous contributions from the local Lion's Club, American Legion, and the Women of Rotary made this a good year.

We were fortunate in having the services of dental hygienists to participate in our dental health program. Many students in grades 1—8 took advantage of this worthwhile program.

The major problem seems to be meeting the State requirements that all children be fully immunized.

With the Help of the Bureau of Communicable Disease Control, Division of N. H. Public Health a clinic was held in June.

This clinic helped alleviate some of the problems and with the continued cooperation of parents and students we hope to eliminate it completely.

Respectfully submitted,
Helen Sweeney, R.N.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

September 1977 to June 1978

Report of Local Medical Supplies	Number	
Pupils Examined	37	
Sports Physicals	164	
Cafeteria Workers	7	
Custodians	5	
Tuberculosis	12	
Serology	7	
Stool Culture	7	
Throat Culture	7	
Report of School Nurse-Teacher		
Vision Tests	700	
Hearing Tests	696	
Inspections	300	
Heights	690	
Weights	690	
First Aid	2285	
Vaccinations and Communicable Diseases		
Pediculosis	11	
Impetigo	8	
Scabies	14	
Other (mono)	3	
Defects Found by School Nurse-Teacher	Cases	Treated
Vision	12	9
Hearing	9	6
Posture	2	2
Speech	30	11
Teeth	32	
Tonsils	57	6
Clinics and Special Referrals	Examined	Treated
Dental Hygienist	135	135
Preschool	35	
Well Child Conference	48	
Imm. Clinic	230	119
No. of Home Visits	28	

Submitted by,
Helen Sweeney, R.N.
School Nurse-Teacher

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1977-1978

1. Salaries of District Officers and Expenditures	
Gordon Weldon	250.00
Elliott Towle	200.00
John Barto	200.00
Dolores Francis	200.00
Patricia Fraser	200.00
Wayne Emerson	350.00
Roberta Maxfield	125.00
Henry Stapleton	15.00
Donald L. Bergeron	15.00
Francis A. Marston	25.00
Arnold L. Wells	25.00
Concord Monitor	12.00
Nighswander, Lord, Martin, Killkelley	53.27
Pittsfield Printing	66.50
Union Leader Corp.	15.12
	1,751.89
2. Salaries for Instruction	
Teachers and Administration	400,218.10
Substitutes	6,439.41
Other Instruction	23,241.00
Clerical and Secretarial	18,895.25
Health Insurance	12,721.38
	441,515.14
3. Textbooks	
Holt Rinehart and Winston	3,468.31
Harcourt Brace Jovanovich Inc.	1,097.74
South-Western Publishing	245.93
Scott Foresman and Company	41.32
Craftmen's Credit Corporation	25.90
Creative Publications	313.20
Litton Educational Publishing	111.55
New England School Supply	120.85
Allyn and Bacon Inc.	192.46
Ginn and Company	1,410.74
	7,028.00

4. School Library and AV Material	
Guidance Associates	567.00
Nathaniel Dame and Company	338.72
Doubleday	11.87
Field Enterprises Education Corp.	246.75
Political Research Inc.	130.00
The H. W. Wilson Company	63.00
Bell and Howell	78.96
Demco Education Corp.	251.00
Josten's Library Supplies	168.43
New Hampshire Audio Vue, Inc.	198.32
Carolina Biological Supply	31.19
Denoyer-Geppert	688.25
Eye Gate Media	41.80
Trey Scientific Co.	13.86
Northeast Audio Visual	184.80

3,013.95

5. Teaching Supplies	
Barron Educational Services	101.61
Follett Publishing Company	34.89
Ginn and Company	54.49
Interstate Printers and Publishers	48.31
Laidlaw Brothers	131.74
MacMillan Publishing Co. Inc.	184.02
South-Western Publishing	179.52
Educators Publishing Service	93.52
Globe Book Co. Inc.	35.44
Harcourt Brace Jovanovich	762.55
Scholastic Book Services	33.29
Amsco School Publishing	200.97
Holt Rinehard and Winston	3,390.80
Xerox Educational Publishing	541.89
Science Research Associates	139.80
U.S. Toy Co.	197.58
T.S. Denison and Company, Inc.	89.17
New England School Supplies	2,349.08
J.L. Hammett Co.	5,277.11
Creative Publications	59.50
Conn. Valley Biological	285.24

Dallas Educational Service	74.00
Hovey's Audio Visual	87.79
Taft Business Machine Inc.	146.04
Allyn and Bacon	8.93
Carolina Biological Supply	81.98
Central Scientific	685.80
Fisher Scientific Co.	28.99
Lynn Hardware Co. Inc.	303.52
New Hampshire Welding Supply Co.	791.72
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	327.19
Tech Products Co.	239.05
Merrimack Farmer's Exchange	31.82
Naz Dar Co.	261.32
Babcock Lumber Co.	1,015.84
Northstar Steel and Aluminum	174.75
New Hampshire Supply	206.34
Treasurer, State of NH (Distrib.)	99.75
Argus Communication	64.97
New Readers Press	16.55
Teachers Market Place	43.51
Naco	108.86
Pittsfield High Activity Account	783.19
The Singer Company	18.75
Ted Herbert's Music Mart	250.60
Huckin's Chevrllet Inc.	49.50
Frenette Shell Station	134.65
Paige Agency	88.00
Collins Variety Store	280.25

20,594.18

6. Contracted Services

New Hampshire Public Television	217.00
Home Instruction	1,174.50
Stephanie Curcio	25.00
Spaulding Youth Center	100.00
The Psychological Corp.	147.99
Curriculum Assoc. Inc.	51.66
Vort Corp.	125.10

Borg Warner Education Systems	90.00
New England Archives Center	22.00
	1,953.25
 7. Other Expenses of Instruction	
3 M Business Products Sales	141.92
Meader's Office Equipment	7.10
Pittsfield High School Activity Account	2,415.98
Tom-Ray Office Supplies	12.73
McBee Systems	22.38
Atlantic Printing Co.	100.00
Kingswood Press	69.00
Allard's Printing Service	18.00
University of New Hampshire	556.32
Demco Educational Corp.	69.00
Richard Horne	135.00
Joan Leonard	50.00
Eric Knowlton	400.00
Beverly Drolet	33.27
Mark Jarvis	27.75
New England Assn. School and Colleges	250.00
New Hampshire Music Educators	30.00
Pittsfield Printing	276.25
	4,614.70
 8. Attendance Services	
Truant Officer	75.00
 9. Health Services	
Salaries	8,225.00
Insurance	181.69
Pittsfield Printing	20.00
Green's Drug Store	165.71
Helen Sweeney	40.46
Pittsfield Medical and Surgical Assn.	462.00
Norma Laro	29.00
John Bruten	15.00
Cheryl Edwards	20.00
Mary Leduc	25.00
Pearl Mason	10.00

Francis A. Mayotte	10.00
Carolyn Stevens	15.00
Elizabeth Sweet	19.50
Gary Turner	10.00
Kathleen Welch	22.50
Roland Chagnon	10.00
Robert Chenette	10.00
Sara Curtis	23.00
Edward Chagnon	10.00

9,323.86

10. Pupil Transportation

Agway Petroleum Corp.	664.90
John Grappone Inc.	741.60
Huckin's Chevrolet Inc.	43.05
Frenette Shell Station	108.15
Exxon Service Station	98.20
Fern's Tire Center	212.80
Contract Transporters	23,758.04
Harvey Marston	3,465.70
The Paige Agency	285.00
Avery Insurance	28.50

29,405.94

11. Salary-Operation of Plant

Health Insurance	28,016.67
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345.66

28,362.33

12. Supplies-Operation of Plant

Pittsfield Lumber Co.	96.21
Northeast Mechanical Sales	107.30
C.M. Rice Paper Co.	867.11
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	156.90
Ralph Pill Electrical Supply	42.40
Maxfield's Inc.	814.97
Merrimack Farmer's Exchange	31.82
Safeguard Fire Equipment Co.	52.80
The C.B. Dolge Co.	23.65

T. D. Drolet	49.00
Rochester Germicide Co.	315.00
Western Auto Associate Store	63.31
Clean O Rama Inc.	579.95
Interstate Restaurant Service	657.54
Publicover Rugs	24.43
Tank's Auto Body	9.00
George T. Johnson Co.	2,785.73
Sears Roebuck Company	564.00
Simplex Time Recorder Co.	667.60
Evan's Radio Inc.	20.40
PennHampshire Lubricants	16.75
	7,945.87
13. Contracted Services	
Robert N. Feeny	481.40
F & A Contractors	470.00
	951.40
14. Heat for Building	
C. H. Sprague and Son Co.	8,290.42
Huckins Oil Co. Inc.	10,553.75
	18,844.17
15. Utilites	
Pittsfield Aqueduct Co.	1,011.60
Public Service	13,875.98
New England Telephone	3,047.83
	17,935.41
16. Replacement of Equipment	
Mid-State Office Equipment	318.00
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	184.45
Carolina Biological Supply	42.20
IBM Corporation	1,215.00
Mainco School Supply	419.30
New Hampshire Audio-View Inc.	298.70

The Singer Company	550.00
Treasurer State of New Hampshire (Distrib)	41.00
The George T. Johnson Co.	391.00

3,459.65

17. Repairs to Equipment

The Music Mart	47.20
Locke and Locke Appliance	27.50
New Hampshire Audio Vue Inc.	115.33
Sanborn Electric Motor	50.00
Taft Business Machines Inc.	277.10
E. J. Electronics	44.95
The George T. Johnson Co.	168.85
Unicom United Camera Inc.	247.43
E. E. Vachon	44.00

1,022.36

18. Contracted Services

Canfield Inc.	56.90
Mid-State Office Equipment	456.00
IBM Corp.	521.58
Simplex Time Recorder Co.	140.62
Safeguard Fire Equipment	255.50
Borg Warner Ed. System	120.00

1,550.60

19. Repairs to Building

White Oak Plumbing and Heating	56.91
B & M Contractors	804.25
Radio Service Lab	9.95
Huckins Oil Co. Inc.	1,153.40
Aetna Pumps Inc.	33.94
Northeast Mechanical Sales	543.49
Al Boisvert	2,823.59
Drolet Plumbing and Heating	346.60
Pittsfield Sewer Service	240.00
Pittsfield Bottled Gas	10.00
Maxfield Inc.	12.23

Pittsfield Lumber and Building	14.63
E. E. Wilbur and Company Inc.	20.04
H.C.I. Corp.	2,673.00
C.H. Sullivan	437.50
Texas Refinery Corp.	1,073.95
Brock's Plywood Sales Inc.	448.02
Pittsfield High School Activity Account	150.00
Win-Door of New England Inc.	(-780.00)cr
Concord Lumber Co.	17.92
Energy Pak of New Hampshire	2,099.00
F & A Contractor	1,000.00
New England School Supply	158.00
	13,346.42
20. Fixed Charges	
Retirement and FICA	39,771.88
21. Insurance	
N.H.-VT.-Hospitalization Service	36.80
Paige Agency	12,604.00
Washington National Ins. Company	154.10
Avery Insurance Agency	418.50
	13,213.40
22. School Lunch — Federal Reimbursement	33,450.91
23. Salaries Student Body Activities	9,458.00
24. General Support—Student Body Activities	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	38.14
Collins Variety Store	810.65
Pittsfield High School Activity Account	4,151.21
	5,000.00
25. Community Activity	
Payroll	2,684.73
Exxon Service Center	127.85
Maxfield's Inc.	151.17
Pittsfield Lumber & Buidling	33.94

Public Serv. Co. of New Hampshire	704.68
American Playground Service	512.93
Al Boisvert	213.64
J. F. Brown & Sons Inc.	344.14
American Fence Inc.	60.00
Robert N. Feeny	46.80
Pittsfield High School Escrow Account	731.00
Western Auto Associate Store	16.87
B & M Contractors Inc.	135.65
Concord Lumber Inc.	5.25
Kidder Repair Service	11.95
Pittsfield High School Activity Account	100.00
Frenette Shell Station	30.75
John H. Donovan	55.00
Merrimack Farmer's Exchange	12.50
Sanel Auto Parts	7.99
Tank's Auto Body	8.00

5,994.84

26. Instructional Equipment

Hovey's Audio Visual	57.35
Harvard Supply Co.	15.77
Lustro Inc.	29.95
New Hampshire Audio Vue Inc.	384.32
Carolina Biological Supply	58.86
Meador's	75.00
Central Scientific	338.08
Pike Industries	190.00
Sears Roebuck	502.50
Collins Variety Store	325.00
J.L. Hammett Co.	133.50
Treasurer State of NH Distributor	10.00
United Camera	276.02

2,396.35

27. Principal of Debt

Farmington National Bank	3,000.00
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust	15,000.00

18,000.00

28. Interest on Debt	
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust	2,480.00
Farmington National Bank	157.50
	2,637.50
29. Supervisory Union Expense (Prorated Share)	16,472.44
30. Tuition	
Concord Union School District	593.60
Great Bay School and Training Center	1,836.00
New Hampshire Easter Seal Society	6,680.00
Central NH Comm. Mental Health Service	984.80
Clark School for the Deaf	1,249.00
Perkins School for the Blind	1,061.00
Robert B. Grant	833.36
Quentin E. McKenney, Jr.	132.00
Demers/Chennette	1,318.27
Corney/Chenette	6,056.00
	20,744.03
31. Title I	
Acropolis Books	6.95
American Guidance	57.24
Developmental Learning	12.84
J.L. Hammett	20.92
Media for Education	11.10
New Hampshire Paraprofessional	119.00
Pittsfield Printing	38.70
U. S. Toy Co.	23.77
Addision-Wesley	190.31
Curriculum Assoc.	110.00
New Hampshire Association	12.00
Barnell Loft	91.31
Bowmar	46.58
New England School Supply	306.65
Rancourt and Co.	14.34
Superintendent of Documents	5.40
National/Assn/State/Special Education	3.50
Vort Corporation	31.60

Academic Therapy	24.50
Educators Publication	6.01
Follett Publication	109.29
Donna Perreault	30.00
Susan Williams	3.00
New Hampshire Audio-Vue	996.34
Teaching Resources	14.58
Center for Constructive Change	75.00
American Teaching Aids	8.65
Ann Arbor Publication	43.16
Sears, Roebuck, & Company	36.57
Jeffrey Norton Publication	14.07
Scholastic Books	21.04
Judy Bush	1,655.00
Seacoast Education	57.00
New England Telephone	548.59
Elizabeth Gamble	307.72
Carol Griffin	55.36
Barbara Roberts	47.64
Spaulding Youth Center	2,160.00
Joan Chase	16.59
Marcia Stone	25.59
Mary Batchelder	9.27
Audrey Flynn	2.18
Shelia Fries	8.03
Marlyne Lake	11.88
Linda Provencal	1.97
Constance Zachman	3.00
Nancy Green	11.16
Margie Lank	9.00
Nancy Richards	40.00
Donna Woodfin	50.00
Payroll	25,617.62

33,122.06

32. Title IVB

American Guidance	121.14
Contemporary Education	40.00
Educational Reading Service	57.75
Guidance Associates	567.00

Pathescope Educational Media	150.45
Prentice Hall Media Inc.	172.00
Scholastic Book Services	173.65
Science Research Services	465.98
Society for Visual Education	183.60
Changing Time Educational Services	460.28
	2,391.85

DRAKE FIELD SUMMER ATHLETIC PROGRAM PITTSFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

The Drake Field summer athletic program began on July 5th, and continued through August 25th. Throughout the summer many children enjoyed working in crafts construction and activities such as finger painting, potholder making, felt hangings, and popsicle stick projects. Baseball, soccer, peggie ball, bowling, and tennis were some of the sports enjoyed. A Tennis tournament was conducted with Kim Beck and Brent Trombly capturing 1st and 2nd place respectively.

Children at the park entered a float in the Old Home Day Parade and won a prize for their entry. All in all we enjoyed the involvement of the young people of Pittsfield and hope to see all of them next summer.

Respectfully submitted ,
Bernice M. Davis
Director

CENSUS SUMMARY

September	Total	No. Attending Within District	No. Attending Outside District
1978	902	598	55
1977	945	650	56
1976	986	648	86
1975	979	652	48
1974	1044	697	32
1973	1062	716	24
1972	1040	692	23
1971	1015	654	40
1970	968	626	31
1969	929	598	26
1968	903	603	23

REPORT OF THE GEORGIA BUTLERS DRAKE CARPENTER ENDOWMENT FUND

Purpose: Maintenance of Drake Athletic Field	
Trustee: Amoskeag National Bank and Trust Company	
Principal Balance:	\$80,664.52
Payments out of Income	
Court Fees	25.00
Expenses of Trustees	509.81
Paid to Pittsfield School District	5,834.85
	\$6,369.66
Expenses for Community Activity (Drake Athletic Field)	
Exxon Service Center	127.85
Maxfield's Inc.	151.17
Pittsfield Lumber & Building Materials	33.94
Public Service Co. of N.H.	796.00
American Playground Device	512.93
Al Boisvert	213.64
J.F. Brown & Sons	344.14
Salaries	2,684.73
American Fences, Inc.	60.00
Robert N. Feeny	46.80
Western Auto Assoc. Store	16.87
B & M Contractors	135.65
Concord Lumber	5.25
Kidder's Repair Service	11.95
Pittsfield High School Activity Account	100.00
Frenette Shell Station	30.75
John H. Donovan	55.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	12.50
Tank's Auto Body	8.00
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.	7.99
Pittsfield High School, Escrow Account	731.00
TITLE I	91.43
	\$6,177.59

PITTSFIELD ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

March 1978

On March 14, 1978 the qualified voters of the Pittsfield School District were notified to meet at the Town Hall to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To choose three Auditors for the ensuing year.

Town Moderator, Leo Fraser, read the warrant and the certification of posing. The polls were open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. There were 552 ballots cast and the results were as follows: Moderator — Henry F. Stapleton 490 votes; Clerk — Roberta J. Maxfield, 487 votes; Treasurer — Elaine A. Emerson, 405 votes; School Board Members: John E. Genest, Sr., 251 votes; Wayne W. Emerson, 76 votes; Gordon R. Weldon, 206 write-in votes. Auditors — Frances Marston, 28 write-in votes; Arnold Wells, 21 write-in votes; Donald Bergeron, 19 write-in votes.

On March 21st, 1978 the Annual School District Meeting was held at the Greenleaf Auditorium at 8 p.m. Moderator, Henry F. Stapleton, opened the meeting by calling upon Rev. Arthur Bucknam for the invocation. Moderator then read the warrant and the certification of posting.

Article 1. "I move the salaries of School District Officers be approved as follows: Moderator \$15.00; Clerk \$15.00; School Board Chairman \$250.00; School Board Members \$200.00 each; Treasurer \$350.00; Auditors \$15.00 each; and Truant Officer \$75.00." John Teague made the motion seconded by Mary Siel. Vote affirmative.

Article 2 "I move that the reports of agents, auditors, and committees of the School District be accepted as printed in the Annual Report." John Teague made the motion and Katrina Blackwood seconded. Vote affirmative.

Article 3 "I move the District authorize the school board, pursuant to RSA 31:105, to provide indemnification for district employees, school administrators, school board members, district officers or agents from personal loss

including reasonable legal fees and costs, if any, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of negligence or other act resulting in accidental injury to a person or accidental damage to property, providing the indemnified person was at the time of the accident acting within the scope of his employment or office.” John Teague made the motion seconded by Leo Fraser. Vote affirmative.

Article 4 Moderator read the article and called on Gordon Weldon to explain the change in amounts since the budget was prepared.

Gordon Weldon informed us that he had the pleasant task of reporting that on the revenue side of the budget Foundation Aid was estimated at \$165,000, however, during the past week the State had arrived at a new figure based on our Town’s equalized valuation of \$282,000, an increase of \$117,000. Since the budget had already been prepared and posted when this new figure arrived, it was too late to change the budget figures.

The School Board met and unanimously agreed that they would like to propose that the money be applied as follows: \$50,000 be applied against the tax assessment so that the amount to be raised by taxes would only be \$827 over last year, with the balance of \$67,000 being used for capital difficiencies in the district with special consideration being given to preparation for our upcoming accreditation.

The School Board then called a meeting of the Budget Committee to inform them of this new development. Fully realizing that no further action could be taken until the public meeting, the Board felt that they would like to present their proposed plan to the Budget Committee and get their ideas and suggestions.

Mr. Weldon then made a motion that the District raise and appropriate \$959,993.00 for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District Officials, and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District. John Barto seconded.

John Teague speaking on behalf of the Budget Committee expressed complete agreement with the School Board’s decision on the expenditure of the extra money. He explained that the Budget Committee was in unanimous agreement after a lengthy discussion. The School Board didn’t have time

to prepare a list of the specific projects they would use the money on, but the Budget Committee trusted that they would use the money towards projects that would not create a continuing obligation to the District in future years.

Arthur Morse: How is the School Board going to let us know what is being done with the money?

Gordon Weldon: The School Board will be pleased to hear any suggestions regarding how it should be handled. The Budget Committee members made the suggestion that the money be put in a separate account so that an exact record would be kept of each expenditure.

Mary Osgood: Is this increase in the budget legal?

Moderator: Yes, it is within the 10% amount that the budget can legally be increased from the floor.

Lester Emerson: By putting this money in a special account it will not only serve as a record of the expenditures, but it will draw some interest.

Arthur Morse: Since this is a tentative figure, can the State come back and change it?

Gordon Weldon: The School Board will be particularly careful to definitely verify this amount before any expenditures are made.

Bill Pethic: How did this mistake occur?

Gordon Weldon: The State just did not notify the School Board of this new amount in time for it to be included in the budget.

Discussion continued with the main concern being the projects that this money would be spent for. The School Board gave their assurance that this money would not be used to start any new projects that would cause a burden on the taxpayers in future years, and would be used for capital outlay only.

Bill Pethic: Since we have no way of knowing actually what this amount is going to be spent for, I would like to make a motion that a notation be made in the minutes so that a complete report can be made next year where this amount was spent by the District.

Moderator: Since there is already a motion on the floor, I suggest this be brought up under Article #6. Motion was withdrawn.

Moderator read the original motion again and it was voted in the affirmative.

Article 5 "I move that the District authorize the School Board to make application for and receive in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereinafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire, or any Federal or State Agency." John Teague made the motion and John Genest seconded. Vote affirmative.

Article 6 Bill Pethic made a motion that in the School District Report next year a printed report be included stating exactly what the \$67,000.00 was used for under capital outlay. Motion duly seconded and voted affirmative.

Gordon Weldon: At this time I would like to thank the District for the privilege of serving on the School Board, and I feel that I got more out of it then they got out of me.

John Barto: On behalf of the School Board I would like to express our sincere thanks to Gordon for the tremendous amount of time and effort he has given to the Board over the past three years. His knowlege of the school system is certainy going to be missed by the Board. The audience showed their appreciation to him by applauding.

John Perkins moved we adjourn and Gilbert Paige seconded. Voted in the affirmative at 8:56 p.m. Officers were sworn in.

Respectfully submitted,
Roberta Maxfield, Clerk

SALARY OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

SCHOOL DISTRICT	ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR			
	PERCENTAGE	SUPERINTENDENT	ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR
Alton	12.36	3,145.78	2,723.94	1,640.75
Barnstead	7.59	1,931.76	1,672.71	1,007.55
Gov. Wentworth	67.85	17,268.72	14,953.00	9,006.88
Pittsfield	12.20	3,105.06	2,688.67	1,619.51
Total District Support	100.00	25,451.32	22,038.32	13,274.69
State of NH Share		2,500.00	2,413.00	2,413.00
				7,326.00

Name of Building or Project for Which Notes or Bonds Were Issued	STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS	
	High School Addition	High School Addition
Outstanding at Beginning of Year	80,000.00	6,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	15,000.00	3,000.00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year	65,000.00	3,000.00
		86,000.00
		18,000.00
		68,000.00

TENTATIVE SCHOOL CALENDAR 1979-1980

	<u>M</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>TH</u>	<u>F</u>
September	X	X	5	6	7
	10	11	12	13	14
	17	18	19	20	21
	24	25	26	27	28

October	1	2	3	4	5
	X	9	10	11	12
	15	16	17	18	19
	22	23	24	25	26
	29	30	31		

November				1	2
	5	6	7	8	9

First Quarter 47 Days

November	X	13	14	15	16
	19	20	21	X	X
	26	27	28	29	30

December	3	4	5	6	7
	10	11	12	13	14
	17	18	19	20	21
	X	X	X	X	X
	X				

January		X	2	3	4
	7	8	9	10	11
	14	15	16	17	18
	21	22	23	24	25

Second Quarter 45 Days

September through January-92 Days

	<u>M</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>TH</u>	<u>F</u>
January	28	29	30	31	

February					1
	4	5	6	7	8
	11	12	13	14	15
	18	19	20	21	22
	X	X	X	X	X

March	3	4	5	6	7
	10	11	12	13	14
	17	18	19	20	21
	24	25	26	27	28
	31				

April		1	2	3	4
Third Quarter					

April	7	8	9	10	11
	14	15	16	17	18
	21	22	23	24	25
	X	X	X		

May				X	X
	5	6	7	8	9
	12	13	14	15	16
	19	20	21	22	23
	26	27	28	29	X

June	2	3	4	5	6
	9	10	11	12	13
	16	17	18		

Fourth Quarter 47 Days

February through June 92 Days

Total 184 Days

Calendar is made up for 185 days - 180 days required attendance for instructional purposes. Therefore, last day of school without any "snow" or other "make up" days will be June 13.

DAYS OUT

Sept. 3 - Labor Day

Sept. 4 - Principals' Orientation

Oct. 8 - Columbus Day

Nov. 12 - Veteran's Day

Nov. 22-23 - Thanksgiving Recess

Does not include Teachers' Convention

Dec. 24-Jan. 1 - Christmas

Feb. 18 - Washington's Birthday

Feb. 25-Feb. 29 - Winter Vacation

April 28-May 2 - Spring Vacation

May 30 - Memorial Day

**VITAL
STATISTICS**

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN
THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

DATE		PLACE	NAME OF CHILD
Jan.	10	Concord	Jessica Ruth Lucier
Jan.	11	Concord	Christina Elizabeth Gagnon
Jan.	17	Henniker	Lura Decato Sanborn
Feb.	8	Concord	Robert Patrick Coombs
April	10	Concord	Robin Jean Wallace
April	19	Concord	Thomas-Lee Everett Gaudreault
April	20	Concord	Hilary Ellen Mulkhey
April	23	Concord	Jamielee Marie Murzin
May	8	Winchester, MA.	Jeremy James Darling
May	13	Concord	Geoffrey Scott Thibeault
May	15	Concord	Kevin Michael Riel
May	24	Concord	Neal James Sanborn Teague
May	25	Concord	Lynn Ann McLaughlin
May	29	Concord	Holly Jean Potter
June	12	Concord	Thomas Francis Dunne
June	18	Concord	Crystal Gayle Belyea
June	21	Concord	Michael Brian Smith
June	24	Concord	Heather Marie Davis
July	16	Concord	Dawn Kelly Ordway
July	23	Concord	Louise Marie Perrino
Aug.	30	Concord	Jason Thomas Elliott
Sept.	8	Concord	Jamie Lynn Parker
Sept.	15	Pittsfield	Renee Marie Percy
Oct.	6	Concord	Fredrick Paul Giddis, Jr.
Oct.	26	Concord	Kristopher Charles George
Oct.	26	Concord	Justin Paul Burritt
Oct.	27	Concord	Richard Arthur Munn, IV
Nov.	7	Concord	Stephanie Marie Vien
Nov.	8	Concord	Tosia Louraine Drew
Nov.	18	Concord	Hedda Laurie Taylor
Dec.	7	Concord	Sarah Louisa Clark
Dec.	24	Concord	Sarah Lynne Marston
Dec.	27	Concord	Joseph Norman Vien

For the Year Ending
December 31, 1978

NAME OF FATHER	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER
John Dana Lucier	Sheila Lynn Bates
Norman Leon Gagnon	Gail Joyce Penney
Hugh Montgomery Sanborn	Rhonda Mary Decato
Bruce Henry Coombs	Janice Audrey Wicks
Mark Henry Wallace	Sylvia Jean Edgerly
Richard Phillip Gaudreault, Jr.	Lynda Louise French
Melvin Arthur Mulkhey	Debra Susan Riel
William Joseph Murzin	Frances Myrle Thibodea
William Bartlett Darling	Cindy Jean Bourque
Roland Henry Thibeault, Jr.	Marie Elaine Lampron
Gary Wayne Riel	Linda Louise Ordway
John Frederick Teague	Christine Sanborn
Glenn Daniel McLaughlin	Maureen Ann Gillis
James Kelton Potter	Susan Lincoln
John James Dunne	Judith Anne Coucci
Kenneth Wallace Belyea, Jr.	Debra Ann Sargent
Michael Charles Smith	Mary Ann Thibedau
David Allen Davis	Pamela Gail Hodgdon
James Walter Ordway	Darlene Jessica Johnson
Earle Howard Perrino	Mary Ellen Price
Gary Brian Elliott	Judith Ann Lemire
Timothy Francis Parker	Pamela Jean Seale
George Albert Percy, III	Mary Jane Sparrow
Fredrick Paul Giddis	Patricia Ann Sawyer
William David George	Barbara Frolich Stormo
Leonard Trevlyn Burritt, Jr.	Loretta Claire Courchesne
Richard Arthur Munn, III	Linda Lee Brown
Richard Alphie Vien	Geraldine Beulah Green
Christopher Lawrence Drew	Joyce Darlene Asher
Robert Taylor	Marley Gail Meyer
Jay Davis Clark	Deborah Mary Lavalley
Samuel Albert Marston	Lynne Ann Fraser
Leon Grover Vien	Michelle Renee Davis

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Hillsgrove,
Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD
For the Year Ending December 31, 1978

DATE	PLACE	NAME	BY WHOM MARRIED
1978			
Jan. 4	Pittsfield	Robert E. Ramalho Janet A. Farris	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
Jan. 7	Northwood	Scott F. DeCota Tammie A. Winchester	Thomas N. Rice Minister of Gospel
Jan. 27	Pittsfield	William H. Foster Retta Presby	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
March 12	Chichester	David A. Davis Pamela G. Hodgdon	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
March 17	Pittsfield	Samuel A. Marston Lynne A. Fraser	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay Priest
March 18	Barnstead	Charles L. Elliott Judith L. Karsch	Arthur T. Tedcastle Minister
April 1	Chichester	David A. Vien Donna A. Ames	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
April 8	Barnstead	Robert A. Tiede Priscilla B. Kirby	Rev. Melvin D. Jones Minister
April 15	Pittsfield	Roger N. Flanders Cheryl M. Labrecque	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
May 3	Pittsfield	Walter J. Jackson Nancy E. Rand	Charles B. Bentley Ordained Minister
May 6	Pittsfield	David A. Bousquet, Jr. Stephanie S. Scovil	May B. Gibert Justice of the Peace
May 6	Pittsfield	Richard A. Munn III Linda L. Brown	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Reverend
May 6	East Rochester	David N. Barber Lori E. Wilson	Jesse R. Smith Minister
May 27	Pittsfield	Myron K. Dobson, Jr. Frances W. Knowles	Gilbert S. Paige Justice of the Peace
May 27	Pittsfield	Brian Byers Smith Judith Ann Carpenter	Howard J. Landes Minister
June 10	Pittsfield	Richard Stephen Douthart Mary-Ann Theresa Sottile	Kenard F. Ayles Justice of the Peace
June 17	Loudon	Stephen A. Fife Linda J. Ladd	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
July 1	Chichester	Leon G. Vien Michelle R. Davis	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
July 8	Pittsfield	William H. Case, Jr. Joan E. Burbank	Howard J. Landes Psator
July 8	Northwood	Christopher N. Rogers Peggy T. McCall	George W. Carr Justice of the Peace
July 15	Pittsfield	Brian C. Folsom Catherine C. Bell	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
Aug. 5	Epsom	Dennis Sam Blackey Sylvia Jay Pero	LaFayette Pinckney Minister
Aug. 12	Bow	Thomas W. Young Joan G. Malcolm	Rev. Joseph B. Holliday Minister
Aug. 12	Pittsfield	Steven L. Foss Laura J. Frenette	Gordon L. Johnson Ordained Minister

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD (CON'T)

DATE	PLACE	NAME	BY WHOM MARRIED
Aug. 19	Epsom	Wesley Arthur Frost Viens A. Dow	William J. Ritchotte Justice of the Peace
Aug. 19	Danbury	John P. Charron Deborah L. Phelps	Rev. William James Kitto Pastor, Retired
Aug. 26	Pittsfield	Paul Everson Conant Joyce Ann Ridlon	Rev. Arthur H. Bucknam, Jr. Ordained Clergyman
Sept. 1	Barnstead	Ernest E. Robb, Jr. Susan E. Lichty	Gordon L. Johnson Ordained Clergyman
Sept. 2	Pittsfield	Dennis Henry Swain Patricia L. Herr	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
Sept. 4	Pittsfield	Ernest A. Flint Helen M. Squires	Charles B. Bentley Ordained Minister
Sept. 10	Pittsfield	John R. Osborne, Jr. Sandra A. Metcalf	Howard J. Landes Minister
Sept. 16	Pittsfield	Craig A. McClintock Hildegard L. Braade	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
Sept. 21	Pittsfield	Paul A. Price, Jr. Dianne E. Knowles	William J. Ritchotte Justice of the Peace
Sept. 29	Gilmanton	Smith G. Weldon Jan Marie Prescott	Rev. James A. Martinez Clergyman
Sept. 30	Pittsfield	Bradley David Graeme Donna M. Reynolds	Robert J. Lemer Justice of the Peace
Oct. 7	Barnstead	Robert Kenneth Gates Carol Louise Tiede	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
Oct. 7	Pittsfield	Donald Peter Rinthen, Jr. Sharon L. Feeny	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
Oct. 8	Center Harbor	Robert Taylor Marley G. Meyer	Lou Athanas Justice of the Peace
Oct. 13	Pittsfield	Clair J. Lampman Patricia Ann Norman	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
Oct. 14	Pittsfield	Elliott L. Towle Rowena M. Golden	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
Oct. 21	Pittsfield	Gary A. Jarest Larona M. Garland	Rev. Christopher L. Drew Minister
Nov. 4	Pittsfield	Gary A. Bedell Cheryl L. Keene	Rev. Donald B. Corringham Episcopal Priest
Nov. 11	Pittsfield	David P. Marden Irene L. Hall	George W. Carr Justice of the Peace
Nov. 11	Pittsfield	William P. Fraser Janique A. Riel	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay Pastor - O.L.O.L.
Nov. 18	Chichester	Steven J. Conte Cindy D. Joy	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
Dec. 31	Concord	Steven F. Judkins Kathleen F. Green	John I. Johnson Clergyman

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Hillsgrave
Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSFIELD

For the Year Ending December 31, 1978

DATE	PLACE	NAME	AGE
Deaths not entered in the 1977 Town Report:			
Nov. 21	Epsom	William Martell	90
Dec. 29	Epsom	Kenneth J. Robinson	79
1978			
Jan. 12	Pittsfield	Eugene Holden Philbrick	66
Jan. 19	Concord	Elanora M. Jenness	60
Jan. 30	Epsom	Maude A. Drangenstein	87
Feb. 4	Epsom	Arthur F. True	75
March 9	Pittsfield	Edward Albert Genest	61
March 14	Epsom	Addie H. Garland	89
April 15	Boscawen	Eva O. Riel	80
April 24	Concord	Irene L. Perkins	76
May 4	Hanover	Olivette G. Blattner	60
May 16	Concord	Mary Frances Breen	97
June 18	Pittsfield	Victor J. Riel	77
July 7	Concord	Nelson B. Eastman	70
July 12	Manchester	Genevieve Catheryn Rodgers	40
July 31	Pittsfield	Delia C. Bilodeau	68
Aug. 17	Pittsfield	Mary Ellen Sherburne	75
Aug. 17	Concord	I. Maude Wheeler	92
Aug. 19	Pittsfield	Thomas Derosier	63
Aug. 22	Pittsfield	Osee J. Drolet	82
Aug. 28	Pittsfield	Paul G. Jackson	58
Sept. 1	Concord	Paul W. Briggs, Sr.	70
Sept. 12	Epsom	Evelyn Plante	83
Sept. 16	Pittsfield	Westly D. Moody	52
Oct. 28	Exeter	Florence D. Batchelder	96
Nov. 8	Concord	Clarence E. Robie	73
Nov. 21	Epsom	Margaret M. Peirce	74
Nov. 22	Manchester	Alzema L. Joyce	58
Nov. 26	Concord	Herbert E. Munsey	58
Dec. 14	Concord	Walter A. Gray	81

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Hillsgrove
Town Clerk

